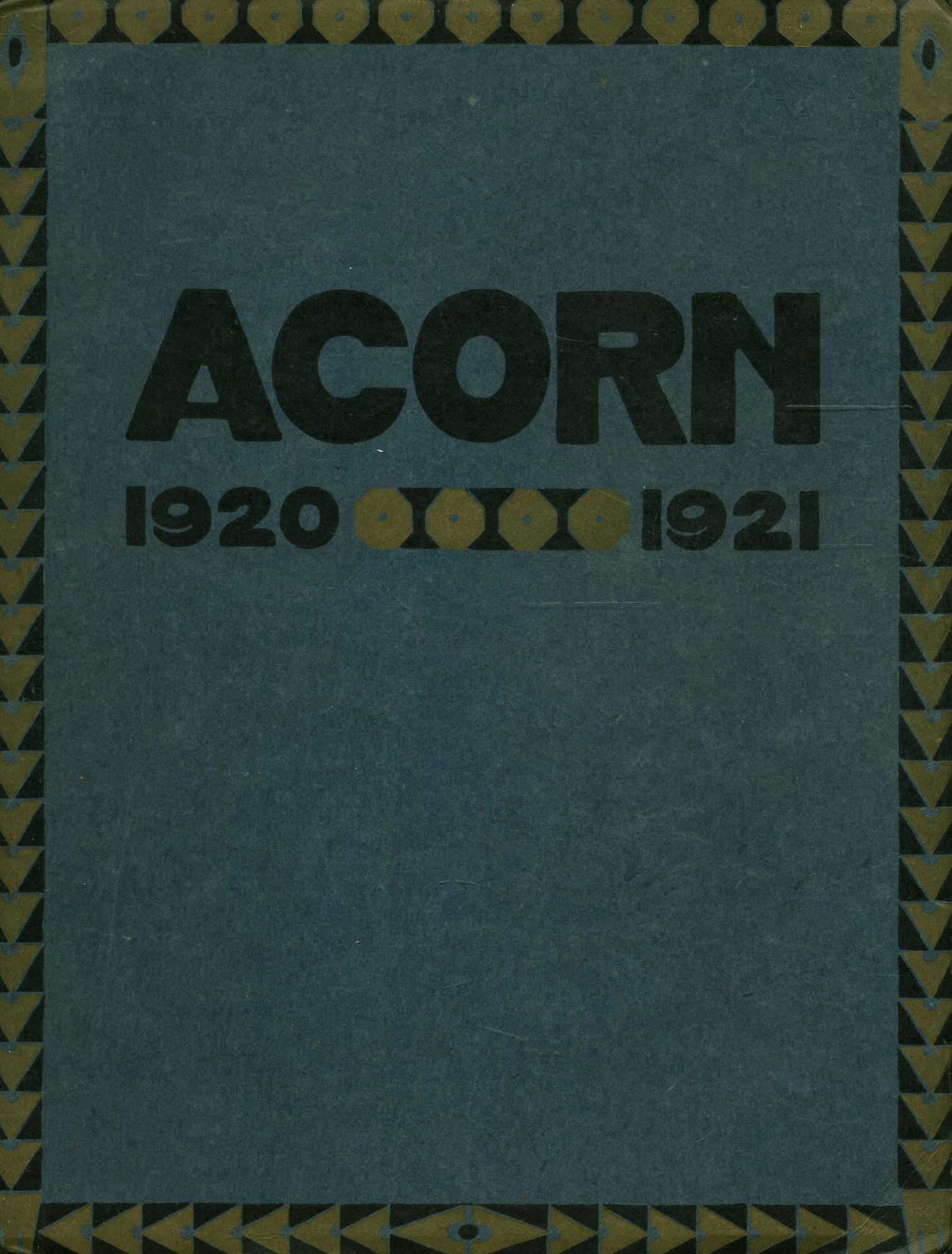




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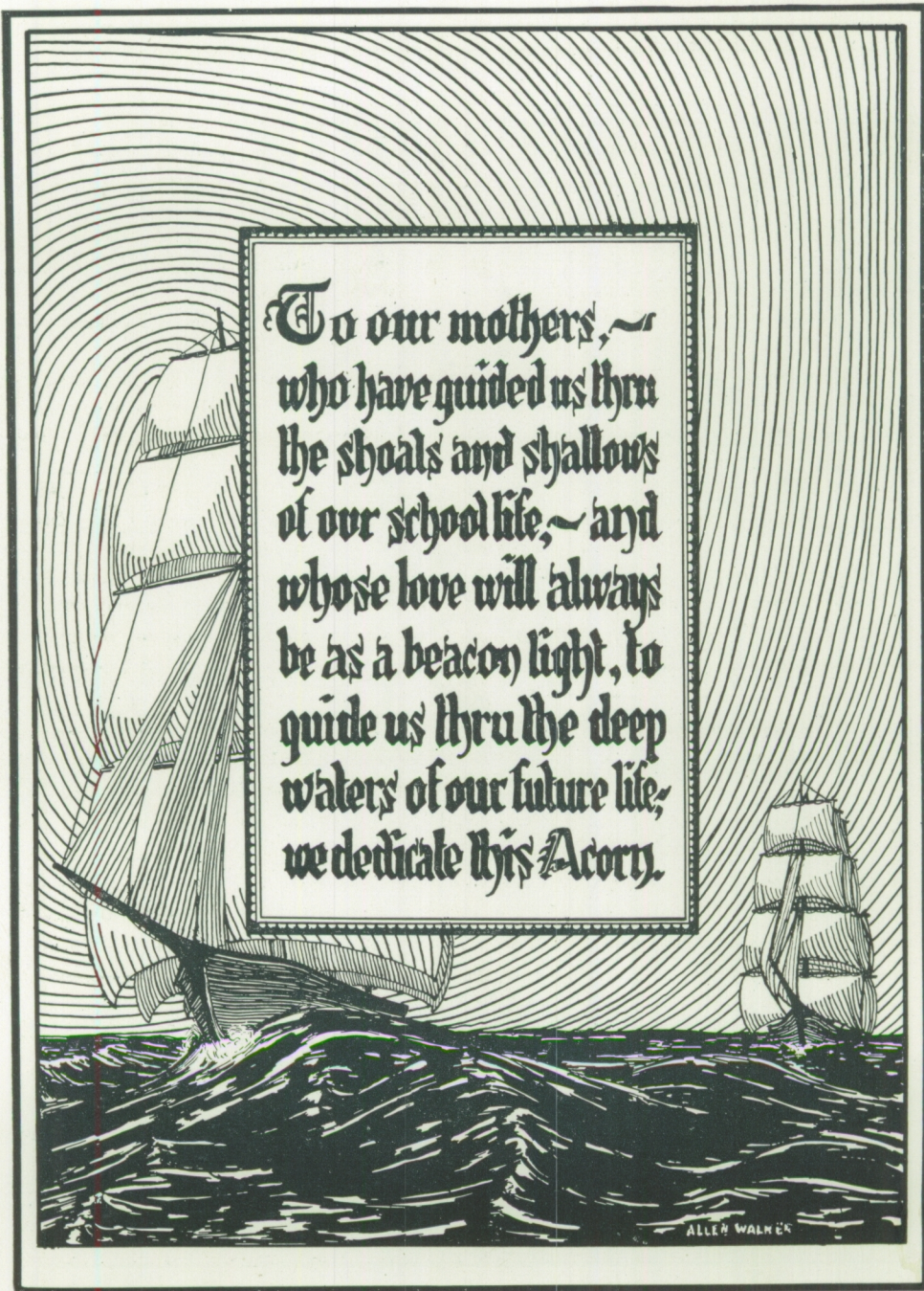
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High Senior Class History

IN June, 1917, as lowly scrubs, we, the never-to-be-forgotten High Senior class, entered the local portals of learning, the Alameda High School. Being anxious to show others just why we can say with pride that we graduated with the class of June, 1921, I forthwith begin the class history.

As Low Freshmen our class officers were as follows: President, F. Cartio; Vice-President, H. O'Connell; Secretary, J. Foulkner; Representatives, M. Minor, T. Halton. Our High Freshmen officers were the following: President, Oliver Williams; Vice-President, Helen O'Connell; Secretary, Malcolm Lamb; Representatives, Rita Jenkins, Jerry Faulkner, and Ed. Burgess Sorenson.

As Low Sophomores our class began to make itself known as the largest and peppiest class that ever had the good fortune to be a part of the A. H. S. The following officers were elected: President, Eugene Cardinet; Vice-President, Burgess Sorenson; Secretary, Paul Rosen; Representatives, Alice Hansen and Charles Noyes.

Our High Sophomore officers were: President, Elmer Mason; Vice-President, Rita Jenkins; Secretary, Frank Castro; Ed., Mabel White; Representatives, Burgess Sorenson, Clyde Zirbel.

A hike was given to Wildcat Canyon which attracted many members of the class.

During our Low Junior year we chose our class pins which because of their unique acorn effect were favorably received. Miss Melden was our class advisor at this time and with her help the girls gave a very successful stunt party. The officers elected during this term were: President, Ted Halton; Vice-President, Lois Littlefield; Secretary, Clyde Zirbel; Representatives Evelyn Fischer and Paul Sansom.

Our High Junior officers were: President, Dave Arneson; Vice-President, Helen Maltesta; Secretary, Billy Moran; Representatives, Irma Martinoni, Clifford Phillips; Ed., Ruth Fortmann. A very successful Prom was given under the management of Dave Arneson.

Our class reached the approach to the final peak of its success as Low Seniors. The following officers were elected: President, Paul Sansom; Vice-President, Margaret Corcoran; Secretary, Ed Mundt; Representatives, Addison Thompson, Evelyn Fischer. We chose the "Four of Hearts" as our Senior play, which managed by C. Phillips and coached by Mr. Carlyle drew an exceedingly large crowd. The profits were \$278.00, the largest sum ever realized from a Low Senior play. During this term the Low Seniors entertained the graduates at a dance given at Haight School.

Now, as worldly wise Seniors, deep in the mysteries of studying and thinking of graduation, the following officers were elected: President, Walter Stannard; Vice-President, Burgess Sorenson; Secretary, Fred Wiley; Representatives, A. Thompson, Margaret Cororan.

The new advisory arrangement, whereby the High Seniors to the number of eighty-five were all crowded into Mr. Agard's room, helped in our class spirit, because we at least saw each other once a week, even if we did have to sit three in a seat to do it.

Publishing the Acorn, the Senior Vaudeville, Old Clothes Day, and Graduation were the main events of this term. The class wishes to thank Mr. Agard and Miss Callaway, our two Senior Class Advisors, for untiring efforts in our behalf, for much help given to individual students, and for guidance of our class. We bid goodbye to Alameda High School with many regrets, and hope that future classes may be as successful as we were in all class events.

RUTH FORTMANN, June '21.



Walter Stannard

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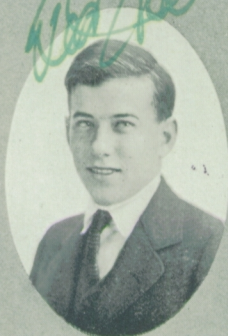
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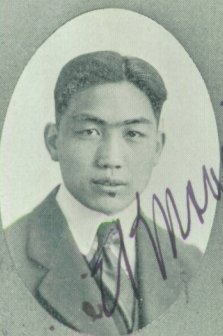
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Alice Hansen



Antoinette O'Brien



Joy Brawn



Florence Rasmussen



Frohna Hinton



Margaret Baker



Irene Saacs



Hilda Baum

CLASS RECORD

A record of the members of the class of June '21 and December '21. The name, nickname, activities while in A. H. S. designated as Freshman (1), Sophomore (2), Junior (3), Senior (4) and future are given. It is hoped that everyone's record has been correctly printed, and that no one has been omitted.

E. H. June '21.

HIGH SENIOR GIRLS

- BAKER, M.—"Peggy"—Star and Key, Glenn County High. Future: Business College.
- BAUM, H.—"Hilda"—From Pendleton High, Pendleton, Oregon. Future: Undecided.
- BEALL, A.—"Bebe"—Permanent member Star and Key. Rowing (1), Scenery Committee (3), Decorating Committee for Junior Prom (3), Freshman Reception (4), Glee Club (4), Senior Play (4), Persian Operetta (4). Future: Normal.
- BICKFORD, I.—"Tookie"—Star and Key (1), (2), (3), Vice-President of Advisory (3), Senior Advisory Committee (4), Welfare Committee (4).
- BRANDT, H.—"Honey"—Permanent member Star and Key, Glee Club (1), (3), (4), Freshman Reception (4), Social Committee (4). Future: S. F. Normal.
- BRAUE, E.—"Gene"—Delegate to Y. W. C. A. Convention (1), Tennis (1), Secretary Advisory Class (3), President Advisory Class (4), Freshman Reception (4), Senior Play (4). Future: University of California.
- BRINTNALL, M.—"Babe"—Star and Key (2), (3), Shakespeare Recital (2), Author of Acorn story (2), Vice-President Advisory (3), Oak Leaf (3), Senior Follies (3), Freshman Reception (3), Chairman of Social Committee (4), Senior Play (4), Seniorpheum (4). Future: Teacher of Dramatic Art.
- BROWN, J.—"Jolly"—From Washington High, Portland, Oregon (3), Social Committee (4). Future: Art School.
- CARTER, L.—"Bumps"—Prom Committee (3), Freshman Reception (4), Judiciary Board (4). Future: University of California.
- CLARK, A.—"Al"—Rowing (2), Vice-President Advisory Class (2), President Advisory (3), Permanent member Star and Key, Collector Student Dues (2) and (3), Girls' Judiciary (4), Senior Play (4), Chairman Carnival Fashion Show (4), Social Committee (4), Secretary Girls' Association (4), Freshman Reception (4), Senior Advisory Committee (4), Secretary Girls' Judiciary (4).
- COLVIN, N.—"Nell"—From West Side High School, Salt Lake City, Utah. Attended Payson High School 1917. Utah Business College, 1918. Future: College.
- CORCORAN, M.—"Marg."—Secretary Advisory (3), Senior Play (4), Prom Committee (3), Vice-President of Class (4), Freshman Reception (4), Administrative Board (4), Welfare Committee (4), Judiciary Board (4).
- MERLE, O.—"Ollie"—Permanent member Star and Key, Freshman Reception (1), Class Editor (2), Class Representative (2), Prom Committee (3), Entertainment Committee (3), Freshman Reception (4). Future: University of California.
- MONTELUIS, E.—"Monty"—Munson's Business College.
- MOULTHROP, C.—"Curls"—Prom Committee (3), Freshman Reception (4), Social Committee (4). Future: University of California.
- NELSON, G.—"Pinkey"—Entered from San Mateo Union High. Senior Play (4). Future: Normal School.
- NICKOLSEN, V.—"Vee"—Tennis (2), (3), Sports and Pastimes Committee (3), Chairman Sports and Pastimes Committee (4), Baseball Captain (4), Freshman Reception (4).
- O'BRIEN, A.—"Tony"—From Notre Dame Academy (1), Tennis team (2), Assistant Manager Oak Leaf (3), Acorn Staff (4). Future: University of California.
- RASSMUSSEN, F.—"Flossy"—Freshman Reception. Future: University of California.
- RAY, R.—"Queen"—Permanent member Star and Key, Tennis, Freshman Reception (4), French Club. Future: Normal.
- SCHNEIDER, H.—"Heinie"—Oak Leaf Staff, Baseball. Future: Business College.

SCHOW, N.—"Billie"—Entered from St. Rose Academy 1920. Future: Business.

SORENSEN, B.—"Bird"—Permanent member Star and Key class, Editor (1), Class Representative (2), Class Vice-President (2), (4), President Advisory (4), President Girls' Association (4). Future: University of California.

TRYER, J.—"Peggy"—Star and Key, Freshman Reception (4), Social Committee Y. W. C. A. Carnival (4), Girls' Jazz Band. Future: College.

TUTTLE, M.—"Middie"—Entered from San Jose High (4). Future: San Jose Normal School.

UMEZAWA, G. "Zny"—Star and Key (1), (2), (3), (4). Future: University of California.

VON TAGEN, M.—"Maggie"—Tennis, Junior Prom Committee (3), Senior Advisory Committee (4), Freshman Reception (4). Future: University of California.

WHITE, M. "Whitey"—Permanent member Star and Key, Class Vice-President (1), Class Editor (2), President and Vice-President Advisory (3), Freshman Reception (4), Delegate to Convention San Jose (4), Senior Advisory Committee (4). Future: University of California.

WILLIAMS, E.—"Em"—Freshman Reception (4), Delegate Y. W. C. A., Fashion Show (4). Future: University of California.

DOW, M.—"Mit"—Star and Key. Future: University of California.

FISHER, E.—"Ev"—Tennis (3), Swimming (4), Baseball team (4), Freshman Reception (4), Senior Play (4).

FORTMAN, R.—"Ruthie"—Permanent member of Star and Key, Collector in Advisory (2), (3), Class Editor (3), Welfare Committee (2), Oak Leaf (3), Acorn Staff (4), Senior Play (4), Freshman Reception (4), Judiciary Committee (4). Future: University of California.

FREY, O.—"Jib"—Future: Normal School.

GENEREAX, R.—"Fufus"—Secretary Advisory Class. Future: University of California.

HAIGHT, E.—"Nora" "Naughty"—Delegate to Y. W. C. A. Convention (1), Tennis (1), permanent member Star and Key, Vice-President Advisory (3), Thrift Stamp Captain (2), Collector Student dues (4), Welfare Committee (4), Senior Advisory Committee (4), Freshman Reception (4), Acorn Staff, (4). Future: Mills College, 2 yrs., Stanford.

HANSEN, A.—"Al"—Thrift Stamp Captain, Advisory Ad Board (2), Senior Advisory Committee (4), Freshman Reception (4). Future: University of California.

HICKMAN, L.—"Lorie"—Permanent member Star and Key, Secretary Advisory Class (2), Chairman of High School Carnival (4), Delegate to Conference, San Jose (4), Freshman Reception (4), Senior Advisory Committee (4). Future: Undecided.

HINTON, F.—"Fronie"—Glee Club (2), (4), Chinese Operetta (2), Thrift Stamp Captain (2), (3), Advisory Secretary (2), Advisory Vice-President (3). Future: Business world.

ISAACS, I.—"Trukie"—Permanent member Star and Key, Swimming (2), Tennis (3), Freshman Reception (4), Cast Senior Vaudeville (4). Future: University of California.

KELLY, E.—"Ly"—Tennis Team, Freshman Reception (4). Future: Undecided.

LANZONE, H. "Harry"—From New Jersey (3). Future: Undecided.

LARSEN, A.—"Al"—Star and Key member, Usher at Senior Play (4). Future: Undecided.

MALTESTA, H.—"Jeff"—Entered (2), Prom Committee (3), Senior Vaudeville (2), (3), (4), Vice-President Class (3), Senior Advisory Committee (4), Social Committee (4), Senior Play (4). Future: University of California.

MARTINONI, I.—"Macaroni"—President of Advisory Class (2), (3), Judiciary Board (3), (4), Administrative Board (3), (4), President Girls' Association (4), Senior Advisory Committee (4). Future: Doubtful.

MATHEWS, R.—"Giggles"—Orchestra, Glee Club.

MCGLEW, H.—"Hell"—Star and Key, Welfare Committee, Vice-President Advisory Class.

WUERZ, A.—"Ree"—Class Vice-President (2), Class Representative (3), Freshman Reception (4), Senior Vaudeville (4).

HIGH SENIOR BOYS

- ARNESEN, D.—“Crip”—Entered from Arcata High (2), Star and Key (2), Track (2), Baseball (2), (3), (4), Manager Basketball (3), Football (3), (4), Class President (3), Manager Prom (3), Senior Play Staff (4). Future: College of Commerce, U. C.
- BEADLE, Philander —“Andy”—Permanent member Star and Key, Oak Leaf Staff (3), Interclass Track (3), (4), Interclass Baseball (3), (4), Crew (4), Winner 1920 Decathlon Contest. Future: University of California.
- BEADLE, PHILIP—“Phil”—Star and Key member (2), Debating (1), (2), Law, Interclass Track (3), (4), Crew (4). Future: University of California.
- BRADY, J.—“Porky”—Baseball (3), (4), Advisory Baseball (3), (4). Future: Business.
- BROOKS, A.—“Al.”—Class Secretary (1), Class President (2), Assistant Yell Leader (3), Yell Leader (4), Manager Vaudeville (4), Operetta (4). Future: College of Dentistry, University of California.
- BUCKLEY, ED.—“Buck”—Manager Candy Sale (2), Winning Team Medal Debate (2), Track Team (3), Football (3), (4), Senior Play cast (4), Ticket Manager Senior Vaudeville (4), Cast Senior Vaudeville (4), Class Editor Acorn (4). Future: University of California.
- CLINTSMAN, W.—“Pat”—From Lick-Wilmerding (2), Boxing, Oak Leaf. Future. Stanford.
- COOLEY, T.—“Coot”—From Punalou Academy, Honolulu (2), Military Drill (2), Inter-Advisory Baseball (4), Numerals for Inter-Advisory Track (4), Crew (4), Track team (4).
- DAVIS, M.—“Mike”—Entered from Tech 1918, Judiciary Board (4), Yell Leader (3), Football team (4), Yell Leader (4).
- ELFERS, D.—“Venus”—Secretary Class (1), President Class (1), Soph Football team (2), Manager Oak Leaf (3), Swimming (2), (3), (4), Acorn Staff (4). Future: University of California, Davis Farm.
- FEDERSPIEL, R.—“Fedy”—Swimming (3), Football (1) (2), (3). Future: University of California.
- FURBUSH, C.—“Toke”—Permanent member Star and Key (3), A. H. S. Jazz Band (2) to (4), President Star and Key (4), Editor Star and Key (4), Senior Play (4), Operetta (4), High Seniorpheum (4), Ad Board (4). Future: University of California.
- GASS, R.—“Bright”—From San Ramon Valley High (3), Star and Key (3), (4). Future: Work.
- GROSSMAN, E.—“Scrub Instructor”—Junior Prom (3), Crew (4), Y. M. C. A. (4). Future: University of California College of Law.
- HALTON, T. “Annette Kellerman”—Swimming (1), (2), (3), (4), Captain of Swimming, Tribune Marathon (1), (2), President of Class (3), Manager of Candy Sale (3), Ad. Board (4), Judiciary Board (4), Crew (4), Corresponding Secretary of the A. S. A. H. S., Editor of the “Acorn” (4), Star and Key (1). Future: University of California, Davis.
- HEGERLE, C.—“Heggy”—From Central High, Minnesota (4), A. H. S. Baseball team (4). Future: Work.
- HEUSER, G.—“Speed”—Entered from San Diego High, Football (4), Baseball (4), Track (4).
- HODGKINS, W.—“Professor”—From Albany High School, Albany, Oregon. Future: University of California.
- HRUBANIK, F.—“Sleepy”—From O. P. C. College, Garden of Shah (4), Senior Vaudeville (4), Crew (4).
- JOHNSON, L.—“Larry”—From Oroville High (4), Track (4).
- KEMBLE, R.—“Dimples”—Permanent member Star and Key, On winning team, advisory baseball (2), (4), Secretary Star and Key (2), (4), Treasurer Star and Key (4), Shakespeare Contests (2), Basketball (2), Typing representative in State contest (3), Baseball team (4), President French Club (4), French Play (4). Future: University of California.

- MORAN, W.—“Bill”—Lake Merritt Marathon (2), Secretary Class, A. H. S. Track Team (4).
Future: University of California.
- MUNDT, ED.—“Ed”—Boys’ Glee Club (1), Orchestra (3), (4), Class Secretary (4). Future:
Music.
- NAGAI, K.—“Venus”—Military (1), (2), Inter-class Baseball (1), (2), (3), Inter-class Track
(2), (3), (4), Inter-class Football (2), (3), Track Team (2), (3), (4). Future: Uni-
versity of California.
- PAUL, J.—“Johnny”—Entered from Lick-Wilmerding (2), Member of Northern Champions
of Baseball (3), Wearer of Block A (3), Commissioner of Baseball (3), (4), Advisory
Board (4), Judiciary Board (4), Acorn Staff (4), Manager of Baseball (4), Baseball (4).
- PHILIPS, C.—“Cliff”—Class Secretary (1), Advisory Board (3), Operetta (4), Manager
Senior play (4). Future: University of California.
- PRING, G.—“Pringle”—Military (1), (2), Permanent member Star and Key (3), Secretary
Star and Key (4), President Star and Key (4), Inter Advisory Track team (4). Future:
University of California.
- ROLLINS, E.—“Gene”—Star and Key (1), (2), (3), (4), Cashier A. H. S. Bank (3). Future:
University of California.
- SHAW, H.—“Sleepy”—Lake Merritt Marathon (2), Tennis Commissioner (4). Future:
Southern branch of University of California.
- SOLOMAN, R.—“Kenny”—From Fremont High (1), Secretary Class (1), Basketball (3),
Baseball (2), (3), (4), Inter-class Football (2), (3), Inter-class Basketball (1), (2),
Inter-class Baseball (1), (2), (3), (4). Future: Business.
- STANNARD, W.—“Walt”—Ad. Board (3), A. H. S. Track Team (3), President Class (4),
Judiciary Board (4), Motion Picture Committee (4), Manager Senior Play (4), Manager
Operetta (4). Future: University of California.
- TICHENOR, S.—“Steve”—From Oakland Technical High (3), Manager of Senior Ball (4).
Future: Business.
- THOMPSON, A.—“Addie”—Track Team (2), (3), (4), Manager Track Team (4), Swimming
Team (3), (4), Track, Swimming, Baseball Numerals. Ad. Board (4), Boys’ Judiciary
Board (4). Future: University of California.
- TRAPHAGEN, C.—“Trappy”—Class President (1), (3), Ad. Board (3), (4), Boys’ Judiciary
Board (3), (4), Football (1), (2), (3), (4), Wearer of Four Star “A” and Gold Football.
President A. S. A. H. S. (4). Future: University of California.
- WILEY, F.—“Artist”—From Eureka High School (4), Senior Play (4), Track (4), Class
Secretary (4).



Low Senior Class History

FILLED with the spirit of youth and hope, the present Low Senior class made its debut in the A. H. S. in December, 1917. Not long after the Low Freshman term commenced, the class elected as officers for the term: President, Walter Bishop; Vice-President, Helen Faull; Secretary, Delwyn Elfers; Class Representatives, Tova Petersen and Hamilton Gamble. As we were still timid and backward Freshmen, the greatest event of the term was a candy sale.

Due to the influenza nothing in class activity was accomplished during the High Freshman and Low Sophomore semesters. Officers were elected and the success of the Freshman-Sophomore tie-up was largely due to our efforts.

Our class pep burst forth in the High Sophomore term. With the help of Mr. Carpenter, our class advisor, and under the direction of Colvin Elliott, class president, the class held three very pleasant dances at the homes of Ada Burrell, Jack Lum, and Claire Hrubanik. Later in the term a candy sale was given which netted good returns.

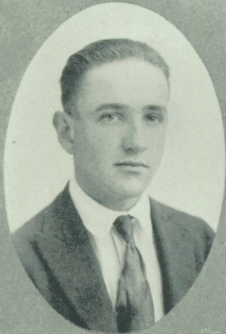
No social activities marked our Low Junior term, the most important occurrence being the selection of a class pin. After much discussion a very attractive and "snappy" pin was chosen.

Bang! The High Junior semester was off with a dance two weeks after vacation. The dance was held at Jack Lum's home and was pronounced a success by all who attended. The big activity of the term was the "Hi Junior Prom." Under the able and experienced management of Colvin Elliott, and with the well-known "Windy" Rue's orchestra, it was a big success. Porter Auditorium was decorated for the occasion in black and orange and Japanese lanterns added to the Oriental effect.

At last we, the class of December '21, are Low Seniors. The Freshman reception managed by Beatrice Almond, by which the girls of the class welcomed the Freshman girls, was a pleasant occasion. On April ninth, "His Excellency the Governor" was presented. It was a very clever play, and because of the efforts of Miss Isabel Venard our class advisor, Colvin Elliott, the manager, Mr. Carlyle, the coach, and the students who took part, was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

The class looks forward to High Senior term with somewhat the feeling of the hurdle racer who sees the last hurdle ahead of him—joy that it is the last hurdle but regrets that the race is so nearly run.

ADA. B., December '21.



Whitney Farrington

**LOW SENIOR
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Helen Cathrall



Armand de Pichore



Jack Lum



Helen Fallall



Tova Peterson



Paul Sansom



Marie Vonah



Kenneth Biggert



Beatrice Pierce



Franz Collischan



Helen Young



Crane Walden



Helen Faull



Augusta Nelson



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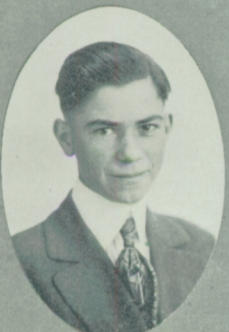


Lester Brown

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Irene Holman



Edward Benson



Gertrude Kelly



Whitney Hodgkins

Whitney
Hodgkins
Jan '21



Mildred Howard



Lewis Mathewson

Lewis Mathewson



Sara Goldbaum



Helen Hoepner



Florence Helmstein



Jessie Darity



Dorothy Donaldson



Elizabeth Ross



Eunice Bayles



Elinor Parsons



Clyde Zirbel



William Rodgers



Will Scheurman

Ernest Dunbar
Smith

Theodore Hamr

William Scheurman

Ernest Dunbar

Theodore Hamr

James Kerr

Phyllis Borchert

Waldo Melbin

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Waldo Melbin

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Ralph Vollmar

Frank Huntington

Masaru Narahara

Ralph Vollmar

Frank Huntington



Low Senior Girls

ALMOND, B.—“Bea”—Star and Key (1), Glee Club (1), (2), (3), (4), President Advisory (4), Manager Freshman Reception (4), Cast Senior Play. Future: Normal School.

BAYLIS, E.—“Eunie”—Future: Undecided.

BURRELL, A.—“Yada”—Advisory Treasurer (1), Swimming (2), Advisory Secretary (2), Ad. Board (2), (3), (4), Prom Committee (3), Welfare Committee (3), Vice-President Advisory (3), (4), Freshman Reception (4), Chairman Welfare Committee (4), Vice-President Class (4), Girls’ Judiciary Board (4), Senior Play Committee (4), French Play (4). Future: University of California.

BORCHERT, P.—“Phil.”—Secretary of Advisory, Senior Orpheum (3), (4), Senior Play (4), Freshman Reception (4). Future: Home.

CATHRALL, H.—“Peanuts”—Social Committee (1), Tennis (1), Vice President Class (2), (3), (4), Welfare Committee (2), Girls’ Judicial Board (2), (3), Mt. Diablo High (2), Senior Vaudeville (2), (3), President Advisory Class (2), (3), Entertainment Committee (3), Vice-President of A. S. A. H. S. (4), Chairman Girls’ Judicial Board (4), Ad. Board (4), Freshman Reception (4), Secretary Motion Picture Committee (4). Future: University of California.

COLLISCHOUN, P.—“Phil.”—Secretary Girls’ Association (4), Senior Advisory Committee (4), Judiciary Board (4), Welfare Committee (3), Freshman Reception (4).

DONALDSON, D.—“Dimps”—Entered from James Lick (2), Swimming (3), Tennis (3), Glee Club (3), Freshman Reception (4), Cast Y. W. C. A. Fashion Show (4). Future: University of California.

ELTON, A.—“Peggy”—Came from Tamalpais High School, Member of Star and Key. Future: Art School or College.

DANLEY, J.—“Jess”—Came from Montclair High School (2), Star and Key (3), Freshman Reception. Future: Work.

DU FOND, Z. “Zoo”—Glee Club, Swimming, Girls’ Athletic Club, Skating, Girls’ Club, Latin Club, Central High, Minneapolis. Future: University of California.

FAULL, H.—“Fall”—Vice-President Class (1), Secretary Class (1), Sports Committee (1), Vice-President Class (2), Tennis (2), (3), Senior Orpheum (3), Prom Committee (3), Ad. Board (4), Girls’ Judiciary Board (4), Freshman Reception Committee (4). Future: Mills College.

- HOWARD, M.—"How"—Star and Key, Glee Club (1), (2), (4), President Advisory Class (3), (4), Freshman Reception (4), Senior Advisory Committee (4). Future: Undecided.
- HALMAN, I.—"Spider"—Future: Undecided.
- HRUBANIK, C.—"Buster"—Star and Key (2), Senior Play (4), Freshman Reception (4), Persian Operetta (4), Senior Vaudeville (4). Future: University of California (dancer).
- HELMSTEIN, F.—"Flossy"—Freshman Reception. Future: University of California.
- HOEPNER, H.—"Heppy"—Permanent member Star and Key, Glee Club (2), (3), Freshman Reception (4). Future: University of California.
- JOHNSON, M.—"Midge"—Star and Key (1), (2), (3), Orchestra (1), (2), (3). Future: Normal School.
- GOLDBAUM, S.—"Sally"—Secretary Advisory (2), Vice-President Advisory (3), Secretary Advisory (4), Freshman Reception (4). Future: University of California.
- KELLY, G.—"Gert"—Tennis, Swimming. Future: Normal School.
- NELSON, A.—"Gussie"—Freshman Reception (4), Usher at Senior Play. Future: Business World.
- OBE, IZU.—"Easy"—Permanent member Star and Key. Future: University of California.
- PETERSON, T.—"Pete"—Star and Key (1), (2), Ad. Board (1), Vice-President Class (3), Secretary Advisory (3), Vice-President Girls' Association (4), Freshman Reception (4), Senior Advisory Committee (4). Future: Mills College.
- ROSS, E.—"Betty"—Orchestra (1), (2), (3), Star and Key (1), Tennis (3), President Advisory (4), Freshman Reception (4), Senior Play (4). Future: General Secretary Y. W. C. A.
- PIERCE, B.—"B"—Orchestra (1), (2), (3), Star and Key (1), Tennis (3), President Advisory (4), Freshman Reception (4), Senior Play (4). Future: Undecided.
- SEARING, G.—"Gwen"—Welfare Committee (4), Freshman Reception (4).
- VONAH, M.—"Wee"—Vice-President Advisory Class (4), Glee Club (1), (2), (3), Chinese Operetta (2), Thrift Stamp Captain (3), President Advisory Class (4), Freshman Reception (4), Cast Y. W. C. A. Fashion Show (4). Future: Business.
- YOUNG, H.—"Toots"—Vice-President Class (3). Future: University of California.

HIGH SENIOR BOYS

- BIGGART, K.—"Manager"—Cashier High School Bank (3), President Advisory (3), Associate Manager Junior Prom (3), Cast Senior Play (4), Business Manager Senior Play (4), Publicity Manager Operetta (4), Class President (4). Future: Business.
- BUNKER, G.—"Bunk"—President Class (3), Secretary Class (2), Judiciary Board (4), Football (3), (4), Stage Manager Senior Play (3), (4), Crew (4). Future: Business.
- BROWN, L.—"Less"—Star and Key (1), (3), Orchestra (1), (2), (3), (4), Military (1), (2), Class Representative (2), Captain 120 Pound Track Team; Senior Play. Future: Young Medical College.
- COLLISCHOUN, F.—"Bud"—Judiciary Board (3), Football (3), Baseball (4), Tennis (4). Future: University of California.
- DE PICHON,—"Frenchy"—Sophomore Football Team (2), Assistant Manager Oak Leaf (3), Secretary Class (4), Acorn Staff (4). Future: University of California.
- DUNBAR, E.—"Snick"—Senior Vaudeville (1), (2), (3), (4), Ad. Board (1), Class Secretary (2), Cast of "Johnny Comes Marching Home" (2), Oak Leaf Staff (3), Acorn Staff (3), (4), Football (2), (3), (4), Senior Play (4), Musical Comedy (4), Judicial Board (3), (4), Secretary A. S. A. H. S. (4). Future: Stanford.
- ELLIOT, C.—"Eliot"—President Class (2), Manager Class Candy Sale (2), Secretary Class (3), Manager Junior Prom (3), Boys' Judiciary Board (3), Football (2), (3), (4), Track (3), Boxing (3), Baseball (2), Crew (4), Manager Senior Play (4).

HAMM, T.—“Flash”—Star and Key (1), (2), (3), A. H. S. Track Team (1), (2), (3), Captain Track Team (3), Judiciary Board (3). Future: University of California.

HUNTINGTON, F.—“Peanuts”—Future: University of California.

KERR, J.—“Jim”—From Heald’s (3), Star and Key (3). Future: University of California.

MELBIN, C.—“Beans”—Star and Key (2), (3), Football (2), (3), Track (3), Judiciary Board (4), Financial Secretary A. S. A. H. S., Manager Acorn. Future: Undecided.

MELBIN, W.—“Wal”—Star and Key (1), (2), (3), Inter-class Football (2), Inter-class American football (3), A. H. S. Track Team (4), Wearer of Block A. Future: University of California.

MATHEWSON, L.—“Louie”—Non. Com. A. H. S. Cadets (2), (3), Senior Play. Future: Undecided.

NEVILLE, B.—“Red”—Military (1), (2), Assistant Manager Acorn (4). Future: University of California.

SWETT, D.—“Dan”—Orchestra (1), Military (1), Star and Key (1), (2), (3), (4).

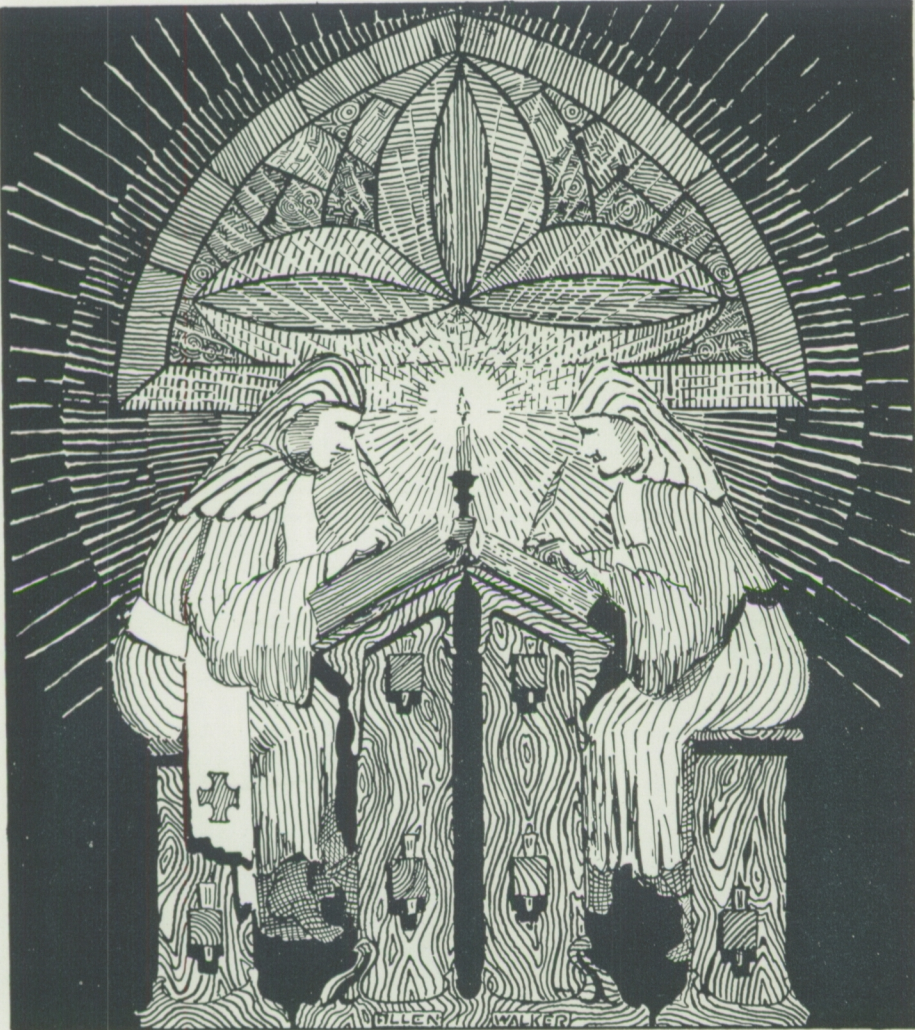
SANSOM, P.—“Governor”—Class President (4), Stage Manager of “Four of Hearts” (4), Governor in “His Excellency the Governor” (4), Assistant Manager “His Excellency the Governor” (4). Future: College.

TAYLOR, L.—“Law”—Inter-class Baseball (2), (3), (4), Inter-class Football (2), (3), Swimming (3), (4). Future: University of California.

VOLLMAR, R.—“Volley”—Star and Key (1), (2), (3), (4), Military (1), Editor French Club (4). Future: University of California.

WALDEN, C.—“Duck”—Track team (2), (3), (4), Thrift Stamp Captain (3), Advisory Tennis Captain (4). Future: University of California.





LITERARY



THE big car sped silently up the well-paved street. Evidently Grey, the speed cop, was sleeping on the job, for he would have wasted no time in rounding up this "blue streak." If one could tear his eyes from the beautiful lines of the machine and glance at the occupants, he would see the close rival of an old-time royal carriage. The car was piloted by a chauffeur wearing an immaculate blue uniform with big brass buttons. He had a long nose which looked all the longer, due to the fact that he held it always heavenward. In the back seat lounged a woman who was the perfect picture of a luxurious snob. In her lap sat that which received the only affection of which this woman of stone was capable—a poodle dog. He was white and fluffy, but even about his cuteness there seemed a haughtiness of manner which held him aloof from his more common brothers.

So the car sped onward, causing people to dodge here and there. Suddenly there was a sharp squeaking as the chauffeur jammed on the brakes. A scream broke from the lips of a woman across the street. Madame ceased petting Toodles for a moment to investigate the cause of the sudden stop. Looking down with a calm, cold stare, she perceived a poor, old foreigner, evidently of the Jewish peasantry, lying in the gutter where the car had knocked him. Wiping a deep cut in his forehead, he looked up with an expression so pitiful as to move a statue. Yet, instead of the consoling words which he expected, there broke from Madame a ringing laugh—a laugh which the man would remember to his dying hour. Then there came into the Jew's face a look which caused Madame to say, "Home, James." And with another laugh from Madame, the blue streak was resumed.

As the enraged old man watched the hated car with its hated occupants disappear in the distance, he shook his fist and presented such a maddened aspect as to cause the woman who had given vent to the scream to resume her walking hurriedly. The poor unfortunate had taken an oath, yet little did he know how Fate would one day give him the chance to carry it out.

II

Business had been poor in the antique shop of Swin Woert today. Few people had entered through the creaky door and none had bought anything netting the old Jew any profit. His days of prosperity were over; he was only losing money. Why did he not gather his treasured earnings and go back to his old home across the waters, there to die in peace? Why did he not go home where he was welcome and where his misfortunes would not be laughed at? Was it Fate or something else that kept him?

This soliloquy was interrupted by the entrance into the shop of a large and well-dressed woman carrying a white and fluffy puddle dog under one arm. Something about this dog awakened grating memories in the rusty mind of Swin, the antique dealer. But it was not until the woman raised her veil to inspect a small lacquer Buddha that Swin realized the meaning of his vague misgivings. No, the face revealed by the lifting of the veil could be no other. When a ringing laugh broke from the woman, due to Toodles's insistence on chewing a tapestry, a change came over the Jew. First he started as the laugh cleaved the silence and then a look of malignant cunning crept into his features.

"How much for this chest?" suddenly asked Madame, "I have taken quite a fancy to it." She indicated a good-sized carved teak wood chest suggesting the Orient—possibly India.

"I regret very much, ma'am, but it is not for sale," said Swin, again a look of cunning manifesting itself.

"Oh, come now," said Madame, impatiently, "I'll give you a hundred for it."

"I repeat, ma'am, it is not for sale," Swin replied, bowing low. His features had resumed their normal aspect now except for a slight smile which played about his mouth.

"Name your price, then, only stop this foolery immediately. Do you hear me?" cried Madame. "Is two hundred enough?" she added as an after-thought.

"It is *not* for sale," said Swin, this time very sternly.

"Do you mean to say that you *refuse* to sell me that chest?" cried Madame, hotly.

The Jew merely shrugged and bowed low, although his face answered her query.

Now Madame saw the futility of arguing further, so with "These fools don't know what they want anyway, do they, Toodles? Darling Toodles, we wouldn't take it if he gave it to us, would we, Toodles?" she flaunted from the shop.

Nevertheless, as she passed the window, Madame's eyes wandered longingly to the carved teak wood chest in the corner of the antique shop, while Swin rubbed his palms together in pure delight.

III

Madame long nursed a certain peevishness in regard to the teak wood chest. This incident was suddenly eclipsed one day, however, by a happening of much greater moment to herself. Toodles disappeared! He just went—nobody knew how—but in a way so mysterious that there was no doubt but that he had been stolen.

Three detectives were employed to find Toodles. Madame was almost in hysterics. Who could have taken him, her only Toodles? What reason could anyone have had for taking Toodles? He was hers; he could do no one else any good. Ah! Was he held for ransom? Was he alive or was he already gone from the land of the living? Everybody had given up hope of ever finding Toodles. True, a man had been seen loitering about Madame's premises on the day that the pet had disappeared, but that was all. The detectives had found no trace of the missing canine and had given up the search. If the thief's purpose had been to make Madame suffer, he had accomplished it. She mourned the days through.

One day a maid announced to Madame that a large crate had been found at the back entrance. As it was addressed to Madame, she listlessly wandered out to see it opened.

Slowly the outside crate was broken away. The inside contents became visible. Madame started; a low cry escaped her lips. Inside was the Oriental teak wood chest! A small key dangled from the lock.

A chill passed over Madame as she looked at the object that she had so recently desired so greatly.

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To the Fremont Oak

Written in commemoration of the oak under which Fremont camped on his history-making trip across the continent.

Our camp beneath a shady oak,
The leaves a carpet at our feet,
The bay before us, and around
The summer breezes, fresh and sweet.

Here all day we lie and dream,
Nor smoke, nor speak, but lazily
Watch clouds shift white beyond the boughs,
Make shadows flit about the tree.

At night the drift wood fire is piled,
It seems the black with crimson bars,
Its sparks shoot up in leafy dark,
In yearning for the distant stars.

This is another world indeed—
A world of deepest peace serene—
Where toils of yesterday forgot
Come mistily as in a dream.

E. A. D. '21.

Editorial

THE Alameda High School may not be unique, but it certainly has one marked characteristic, in that it has had from the beginning a constant and widening development. Founded in 1875, it graduated its first class in 1878. There were five graduates in all for that year. From that time to the present day the enrollment has gradually increased, not very rapidly but on a par with the population of our Island City. At first housed in one or two rooms in one or another of the grammar schools, it finally acquired its own plant in 1903.

Looking over the course of study, even at this date one is struck by the fact that it was almost entirely an academic school, there being only a few classes in commercial work. It was always recommended as a thoroughly sound institution, sending a good percentage of its graduates to the University and training what might be called the best students in the community.

Dr. A. W. Scott, now principal of the Girls' High School in San Francisco, was, previous to 1904, principal of our High School for sixteen years. The present principal took office in the Fall term of 1904. The two principals thus represent a continuous administration of a third of a century. In 1904, there were eleven members of the faculty and at the present time there are five of the original staff still teaching here. The average number of years taught by the present faculty in their positions is unusually high.

During the last seventeen years the school has shown an expansion in the number of courses offered and in the personnel of its faculty and its place in the life of the community. During this time the history of this High School is typical of what is known as the "inclusive high school of California." It gradually expanded by adding to its courses woodwork, commercial branches including commercial appliances, domestic science, shops and automobile repairs, forge and foundry, mechanical drawing, a complete course in music and art, so that at the present day it not only prepares students for higher institutions but pays especial attention to those who intend to enter into immediate life work. In our attempt to do this in as scientific a way as possible co-operation and co-ordination are the two words which have been most important in forming the spirit of the Alameda High School.

Taking the student before he enters High School, a careful study is made of his work in the Grammar School and with the advice of his parents and the principals of the Grammar Schools a careful planning of his High School course is undertaken at the beginning of the High School Freshman term. As a part of this planning the intelligence tests which are given by the Grammar Schools are used as a helpful guide and every effort is made to place the student in that line of work for which he seems best fitted. Throughout the High School

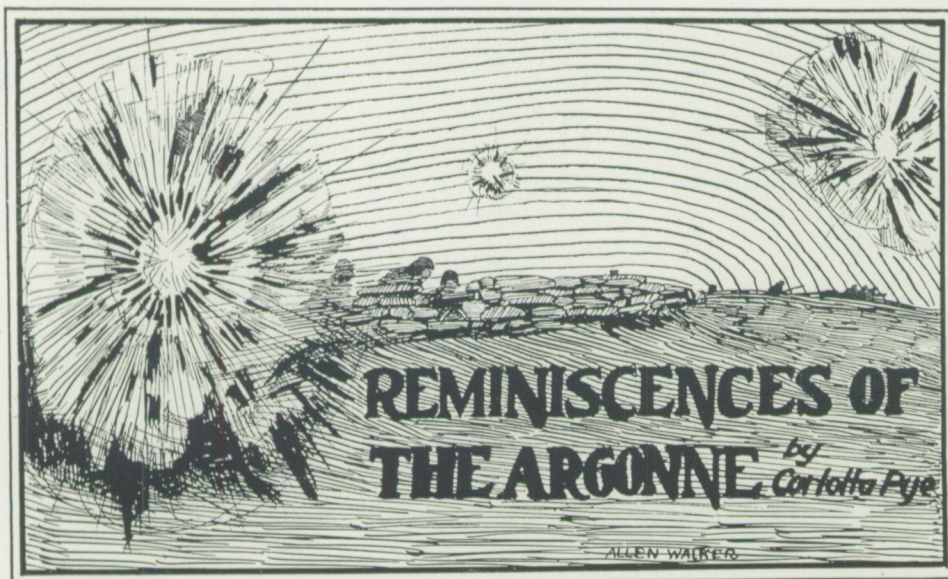
course he is carefully followed up, comparisons are constantly made not only from year to year but from term to term and our one thought is the student.

With two vice-principals, one for the boys and one for the girls, and all the faculty working together, every effort is made to co-ordinate the home with the school and to guide the student into the correct standard of intellectual, social, and moral life. As the students graduate and leave for other institutions or for immediate entrance to business, careful attention is given to them in helping select that life work for which they have proved their fitness during high school. Psychological tests are given again. Our percentage of students who are entering the Universities is very large, rating up as high at times as seventy-five percent while our system of co-operation with the grammar schools gives us as high as ninety percent of their graduates. Our student organization is, we believe, also unique. Responsibility is placed upon students by the formation of various boards and committees which develop the highest forms of leadership.

We are proud of the record that our students have made in competitive athletics as well as their scholarship standing in the University. Before the state law went into effect this school had required at least four terms of physical education and our watchword has always been—"Play up, play the game, but play it fair."

Anything of civic interest where call is made for assistance, local or national, receives the warmest response from the High School students and faculty both in the way of personal service and funds. It would seem almost like boasting to enumerate all that has been done along these lines, as there is never a time when some work in the way of civic betterment is not under way in the High School. I cannot too strongly emphasize the fact that our usefulness and what we call the Alameda High School spirit is due to the close sympathy and co-operation of the faculty and students and the definite aim which we have in working this out is to make efficient citizens who are in sympathy with the life of our times and who are willing to assume its duties and responsibilities and so render to the state and nation a partial payment for our great inheritance.

DR. G. C. THOMPSON.



ON the evening of November 11, 1919, in honor of the first anniversary of the Armistice of the World War, Captain Talbot gave a party to a select number of his friends (of whom I had the honor to be one) in his rooms at the St. Francis Hotel. His company had been in the Rainbow Division and he was one of those who had fought in that brilliant and short engagement that ended the war. Among his guests were several young army officers; no one of them had had active service at the front, and they were very much interested in the many reminiscences of the host after we had finished an uncommonly good dinner.

On the sideboard was a human skull which attracted my attention and it was impossible for me to keep my eyes from the object. I felt sure that there must be some gruesome history attached to it. I was very curious to know what the history might be and my curiosity was relieved when Lieutenant Kent asked the Captain where he received this skull and what it meant. The Captain related the following:

"I have made a standing offer to anyone who will drink to my health from this skull. You will note that it is silver mounted and fashioned into an old-style German drinking cup. It shall be his. Although I have made this offer upon many occasions like this, the cup is still here. Why?

"I consider that there was quite a little thrill felt in the exploit that attended the getting of this skull, although it was never thought of as a skull-seeking expedition that I went on in the Argonne Forest. The occurrence happened in this way.

"My company had been ordered to go forward. We had long since gone over the top from the trenches and we were skirmishing in the open. We had advanced along a creek bottom, the banks of which protected us from the sight of the Germans and also from a terrific fire of machine guns and rifles that swept over our heads and mowed down the underbrush and trees as might a scythe swung by some relentless giant.

"While we lay concealed under the bank, I saw some Germans creeping around a bend in the creek several hundred yards from us. I ordered the men to lie snug under the bank, out of sight. Next I had Sergeant McGee, he was an expert rifleman, come with me and bring a regulation army rifle.

"We crept within a couple of hundred yards of the Germans—they were a machine gun company pushing forward with a gun to establish a nest. This would have made it impossible for any of our men to cross the creek bed.

"McGee and I got in a good position behind a cave-in in the bank, completely out of sight of the Germans. We opened fire with our rifles, using smokeless powder cartridges, and inside of five minutes we had killed the entire company of captain and fourteen men.

"It was about three hours afterwards when a whole division of French infantry came hurrying across the creek and onto the Germans. They were fast retreating from their positions. My company became a part of this advancing force and for two days we were in this drive, after which we were ordered back to the rest billet.

"With us was a French company, with whose captain I had become quite friendly. He had been in America and spoke English well. We returned to the same ground over which we had advanced and as we passed this machine gun company, lying as they had fallen, I pointed out to the Captain the spot where McGee and I had lain while wiping them out.

"The Captain was enthusiastic about the episode, and calling one of his men, said something to him in French which I did not understand at the time. Afterwards I learned that he had ordered him to have the captain of the machine gun company beheaded and to have the skull prepared. It was then sent to Paris, where it was silver-mounted and fashioned as you now see it. This skull was given to me in Paris by the Captain. Queer what people will do! Isn't it? And he had had nothing to do with that particular fight either.

"The offer is still open to anyone who will drink my health from the cup."



Milady's Laugh

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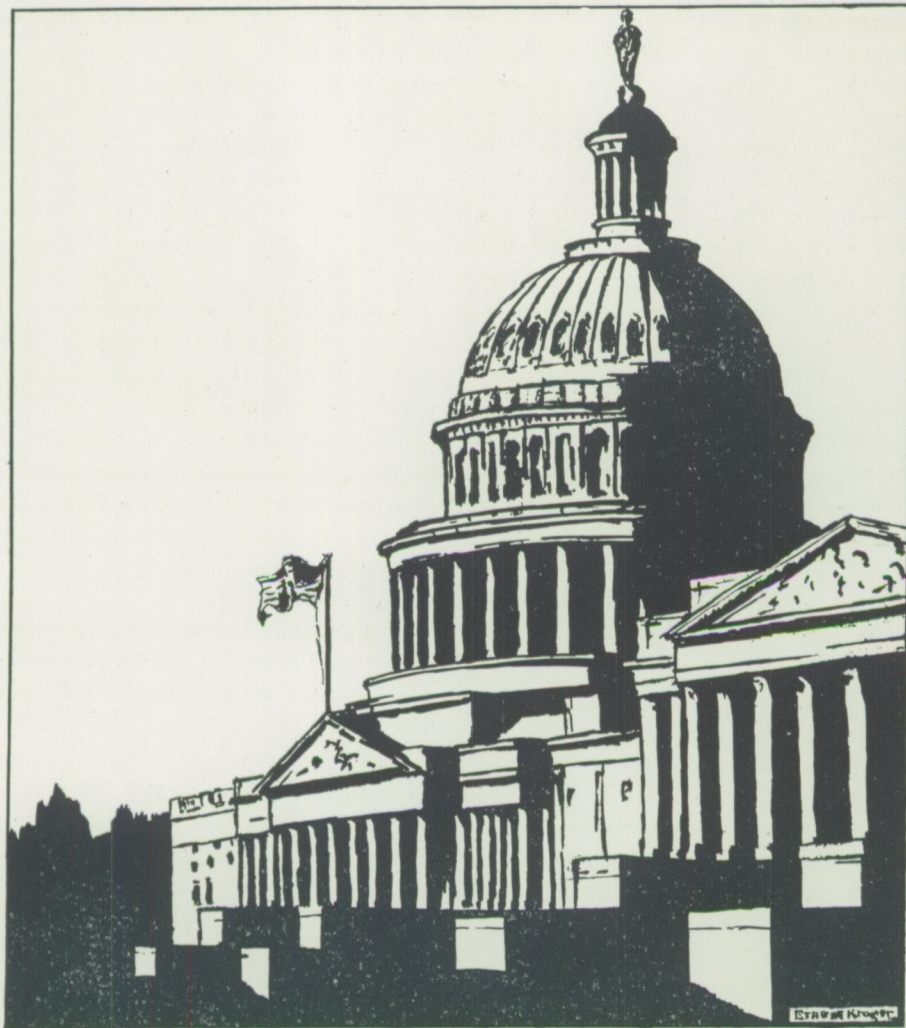
"Oh, I can't! I'm afraid!" she cried. Then, taking hold of herself, she exclaimed, "What am I saying? Of course it's nothing. Jane, open the chest!"

Jane had trouble with the key. It took several minutes to open the lid. A dreadful silence prevailed. Madame seemed keyed to the breaking point. The chest had become an evil thing—something hateful to her.

The lid of the chest swung open. Inside was—Toodles! With a joyous bark the fluffy ball leaped into his mistress' arms. Madame tearfully hugged him, cooing all the while. She seemed a changed woman. Her *barrier* had broken down.

On the bottom of the chest, written on a dirty piece of brown wrapping paper, was a note. It read:

"Take back your dog. I can't do it. What you need is to be taught and not to suffer. I leave for home. Accept my revenge. But next time think before you laugh at a foreign's misfortunes."



ORGANIZATIONS



THE other day the editor came around and told me to write a few words saying the "Acorn" was out, so here goes. It is out and we hope we have given you your money's worth. The price is two bits more this year, but then the cost of production is more than twenty-five per cent greater.

In placing this book before you we wish to express our sincere appreciation of services rendered by Mr. Agard, advisor. Also we wish to extend our thanks to Miss Watrous, art adviser, and to the many art students who by their unfailing efforts have helped to make the Acorn a success. Especial recognition is due to Miss Beall who designed the cover plate. Miss Armitage has given us the assistance of the typing classes for which we are truly thankful.

And finally to those names we have misspelled, we offer our sincere apology and refer them to Mr. Stephens.

D. W. '22.



Dexter Weeden



Blevin Neville



Edmund Buckley



Elizabeth Vaughn



Elinor Haight



Ernest Dunbar



Helen Maltesta



Armand de Pichon

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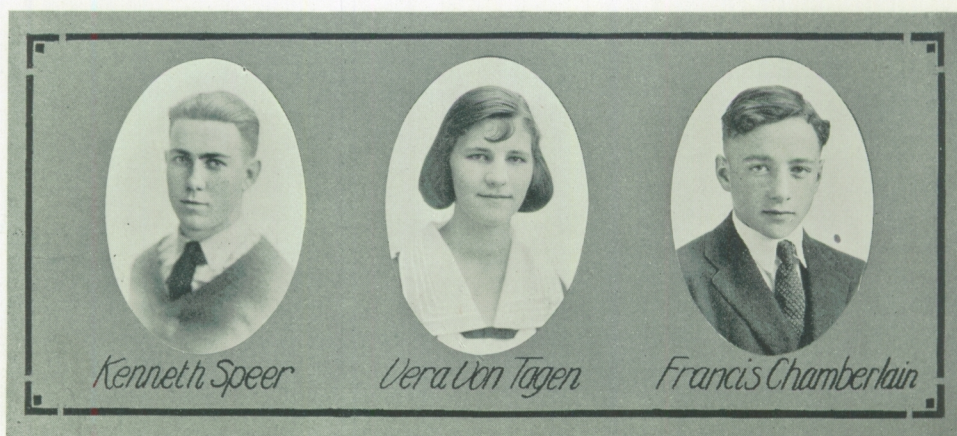
High Juniors

<i>Spring Term</i>	<i>Officers</i>	<i>Fall Term</i>
CLARK CHAMBERLAIN.....	President.....	FRED LEONARD
RUTH BUCKLEY.....	Vice-President.....	HELEN YOUNG
HAMLIN ASHLEY.....	Secretary.....	HARRY AKESSON
RICHARD HEINZ.....	Class Representative.....	CLARK CHAMBERLAIN
ALVERA THIEN.....	Class Representative.....	RUTH BUCKLEY
DOROTHY ANDERSON.....	Editor.....	DOROTHY ANDERSON

FOR its ability in both class and field activities the class of June '22 is noted. Last term class pins were plentiful, which showed our strong spirit. The events of this term were many, the principal one, of course, being the Junior Prom, given on April 22nd. It was a great success, and the most original of all Proms. Clark Chamberlain deserves credit for his successful management of this event.

D. F. H. A. '22.





Low Juniors

<i>Spring Term</i>	<i>Officers</i>	<i>Fall Term</i>
KENNETH SPEAR.....	President.....	DEXTER WEEDEN
VERA VON TAGEN.....	Vice-President.....	GRACE FAULKNER
FRANCES CHAMBERLAIN.....	Secretary.....	EUGENE JACKSON
GRACE FAULKNER.....	Class Representative.....	DOROTHY BLAKE
DEXTER WEEDEN.....	Class Representative.....	FRANCIS CHAMBERLAIN

THE main event of our High Sophomore term was a movie given in the latter part of the term for the benefit of the Hoover Relief Fund. This movie met with the greatest success of any given this term.

The election of officers and the selection of class pins have been the important events of our Low Junior term, although plans for larger activities are well under way.

F. C. '22.





High Sophomores

Spring Term	Officers	Fall Term
JOHN MARQUART.....	President.....	SHELDON COOPER
MARIE WILLIAMS.....	Vice-President.....	VIRGINIA SILVERSTONE
LEVETT ZIMMERMAN.....	Secretary.....	EVERETT HELM
JEAN McCAW.....	Class Representative.....	JEAN McCAW
SUMNER GRAHAM.....	Class Representative.....	SUMNER GRAHAM
RUTH THOMAS.....	Editor.....	RUTH THOMAS

THE High Sophomore Class has plenty of "pep" and class spirit. During the Easter vacation the boys gave a hike to Pinehurst, and a good time was enjoyed by all. Later in the term the Sophs accepted the "Scrubs" challenge to a rope fight and proceeded to beat them badly. It took but one minute to drag the gentle Frosh from the field.

Many other events are planned by President "Rube" Marquart to make this term the best of all. WATCH US GO!

R T. '23.





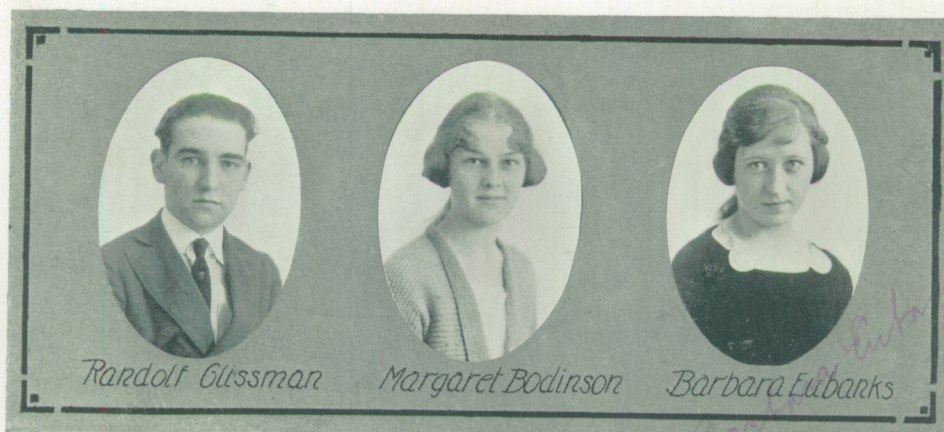
Low Sophomores

Spring Term	Officers	Full Term
FRANK RUSSEL.....	President.....	RANDOLPH GLISSMAN
LUCILLE DUNBAR.....	Vice-President.....	MARGARET BODINSON
GEORGE BELVEL.....	Secretary.....	FRANK RUSSEL
JULIET WEINSTOCK.....	Class Representative.....	FLORA WHEELER
MARION BIGGS.....	Class Representative.....	ALAN HEID
BARBARA EUBANKS.....	Editor.....	BARBARA EUBANKS

THE High Freshman Class started out with "pep." A social committee was organized to supervise class affairs and arrangements were made to have a dance at the home of one of the members, but the Judiciary Board could not set a date.

The Low Sophomore Class has many plans for the future. The recent hike to Redwood Peak was carried out with great success. A class orchestra is being organized and plans for a candy sale and dance are under way.

B. E. '23.





High Freshman

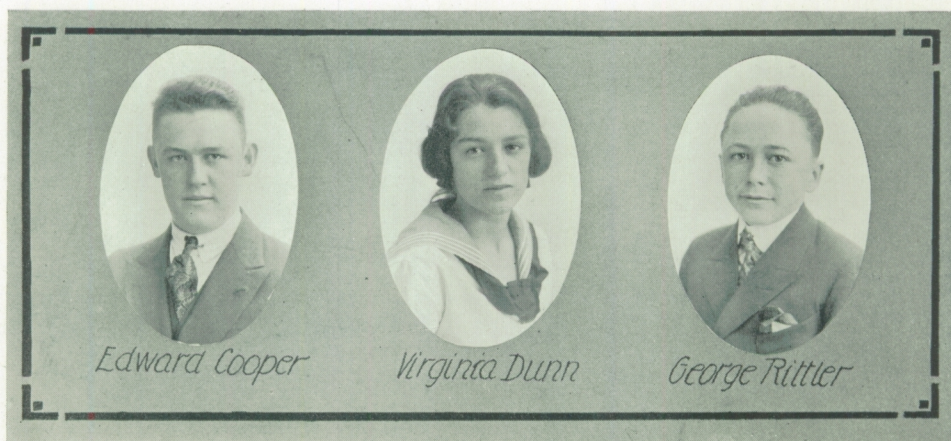
Spring Term	Officers	Fall Term
LEON KOENIGSHOFFER.....	President.....	LEON KOENIGSHOFFER
HELEN CARTER.....	Vice-President.....	CLAIRE BROWN
HALLET CRAIG.....	Secretary.....	HELEN CARTER
JOE GOODYEAR.....	Yell Leader.....	ALBERT ONIONS

THE year ending June 1921, has been a very eventful one for the High Freshman Class. Last term the boys took second place in the inter-class swimming meet, being nosed out of first place by five points.

This term the class gave a picture show for the Hoover Relief Fund. The whole class got behind the movement and the show was a complete success, forty-five dollars having been raised.

H. C. '24.





Low Freshman

Officers

President.....	EDWARD COOPER
Vice-President.....	VIRGINIA DUNN
Secretary.....	GEORGE RITTLER
Class Representative.....	RUTH BONNIE
Class Representative.....	MERRIT STANFORD

DURING our Low Freshman term, we have entered into High School activities in a manner that shows we have true class spirit. Our baseball and track teams showed their mettle, by trouncing the High Freshmen in all weight teams. Many future athletes and block "A" stars should be developed from our class to uphold the honor of the Alameda High School. Excuse our dust.

G. R. '24.





Associated Students

FALL TERM—1920

Officers

President.....	CLARK SPENCE
Vice-President.....	BERNICE BORCHERT
Recording Secretary.....	TED HALTON
Financial Secretary.....	HYMAN FISCHER

THE Fall Term, August-January, 1920, was an active one, under the efficient leadership of the administration. Many Student-Body meetings were held and were well attended. At these meetings good school spirit was shown. Music and entertainment were furnished by the Alameda High School Jazz Band.

Several dansants were held at Porter School Auditorium, the admission being by student ticket. These dansants were popular, and aided in bringing about the early payment of the student dues. A new office, that of Financial Secretary, was created. Hyman Fischer filled this office ably, a surplus being left in the treasury after all the bills were paid.

During the term a number of moving picture shows were given for different benefits, and these were well attended by the Student Body. The Boys' and Girls' Judiciary Boards became more active and prominent this semester, and did much for the students and school.

American football was played for the first time in recent years, and but little was accomplished. The team, however, is anticipating greater success in football for the fall term of 1921. An improvement was made in the rooting, due to the good leadership and genial enthusiasm of Yell Leader, Mark Davis. Several new yells were tried and adopted.

A drive was held in December for toys for the poor children of Alameda. Many of our students contributed liberally with a large supply of various kinds of toys, so that many children were made happy in this way at Christmas time.

The entire Student Body backed the administration and all the larger class activities of the term, the Junior Prom, Senior Play, and Senior Orpheum. This spirit of co-operation, on the part of all, made the administration and the term a great success in every way.

E. H. '21.

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Associated Students

THIS Spring Semester of 1921 has been an active one for all concerned. The term started with several peppy Student Body meetings under the leadership of President Traphagen. The meetings have been held regularly and have been well attended. The Alameda High School Jazz Band always furnishes the students with popular music. Other and varied entertainments have been well and frequently contributed. Due to the enthusiasm of the yell leaders, "Mike" Davis and "Jackie" Lum, and to the co-operation of the students in general, the meetings have been a great success.

Two dansants have been successfully conducted under the management of the Judiciary Board and Albert Steele. Several more have been planned for the term, the student-ticket being the only card of admission necessary. Many other activities are under way, among them the "Old Clothes Day," "49 Camp," Dansants, and Serpentine Rallies.

The Administrative Board has decided to introduce a standard high school pin for the Junior Class, the design to be made by the art classes. A committee of Grace Faulkner, Helen Cathrall, Richard Hines, and Miss Watrous have been appointed to select the pin.

The Administration this term has been well backed by its officers and the Student Body, due to the best of enthusiasm this term, is a success

H. C. Dec. '21.



Girls' Association for Fall 1920

Alameda, Calif., June 1, 1921.

DEAR FRIEND:

Your letter of last week delighted me because I like to hear of your school activities.

Did I ever write you about our wonderful Girls' Association at Alameda High? Last term they elected me President; Dorothy Anderson, Vice-President; Theo Larson, Secretary, and Doris King, Corresponding Secretary. We haven't an auditorium here at Alameda Hi so our meetings are held once a month at Porter School. I wish you could have come to a meeting last term. I know you would have enjoyed it. At one of our meetings, after the business was attended to, we had one of our talented little girls, Catherine Carver, play for us a few selections; this was followed by community singing.

Football was the sport of the season and the girls gave wonderful support to the team. We sold arm bands and pennants at cost, and I do believe that it helped the enthusiasm especially of the girls.

Aside from athletics, our Welfare Committee, with the help of our other committees made up the cutest Christmas boxes which contained a string of beads and a lovely handkerchief for each girl at the Girls' Training Home. Then, too, our association had charge of a Christmas fund for the poor kiddies of Alameda. Just think, we furnished over two hundred children in Alameda with dolls, books, games, and the pretty toys that catch the eyes of little tots.

Those were the most important things we did last semester, and I know that if your school organizes its girls into a separate association, you will find that the girls will get together and do things that take co-operation of all girls.

Please try to come over soon, and I'll be glad to tell you of many other things our girls are planning to do under this term's officers. We do much; we feel much; and we really count much.

Your friend,

IRMA MARTINONI, 21.



Girls' Association

IRMA MARTINONI, the retiring president of the Girls' Association, presided at the first meeting and turned the duties over to the new president, Burgess Sorensen. The committees for the term were appointed.

The first social event was the Freshman reception under the management of Beatrice Almond. The hit of the program was the fashion show, which proved such a great success that it was repeated at the Y. W. C. A. entertainment for the Dorothy Todd benefit.

The Welfare Committee purchased a punch bowl and glasses, which were given to the school. The Welfare Committee has been very active under the chairman, Ada Burrell.

The Sports and Pastimes Committee, with Velda Nicholson as chairman, has organized inter-class baseball teams and "A's" are voted for the winning team.

The Social Committee planned a surprise for the Girls at Sunny Cove on June 3, in the form of a Beach Supper, with stunts to be given by each class. Marilla Britnall, as the chairman, efficiently managed all the details.

The Senior Advisory Committee took charge of the fish pond for the Baby Hospital benefit and a large sum of money was cleared.

Miss Sturdevant, dean of the girls at University High, was a guest at one of the meetings and gave a most interesting talk on "Expression." At a later meeting Mrs. Ricard, head of the Baby Hospital in Oakland, urged the girls to form a society called a "Leaf" to aid the Baby Hospital. This is the first high school that has been asked to join and the girls consider it a great honor.

The meeting for May was an alumni meeting. Many of the past officers and former students of the association were present and told what Alameda High meant to them.

OFFICERS

President.....	BURGESS SORENSEN
Vice-President.....	TOVA PETERSON
Secretary.....	ALBERTA CLARK
Corresponding Secretary.....	PHYLIS COLLISCHONN

BOY'S JUDICIARY BOARD



FALL TERM



SPRING TERM

GIRL'S JUDICIARY BOARD



FALL TERM



SPRING TERM



Administrative Board

Fall Term

MEMBERS AT LARGE

CLARK SPENCE
BERNICE BORCHERT
TED HALTON
HYMAN FISCHER
ALLEN MEUTER

ALVIN MALM
FRANK PENNOCK
IRMA MARTINONI
MARIAN LINDERMAN
DOROTHY KING

CLASS REPRESENTATIVES

FREDERICK DE BERNA
LILLIAN SAFFORD
ADDISON THOMPSON
EVELYN FISCHER
COLVIN ELLIOT
ADA BURRELL
CLARK CHAMBERLAIN
RUTH BUCKLY

FRANCIS CHAMBERLAIN
DOROTHY BLAKE
SUMNER GRAHAM
JEAN MCCAW
ALLAN HYDE
FRANCES WHEELER
DONALD MACKENZIE
DOROTHY SCHRODER



Administrative Board

Spring Term

MEMBERS AT LARGE

CLIFFORD TRAPHAGEN
HELEN CATHRAL
ERNEST DUNBAR
ADA BURRELL

VIOLA LEONARD
ELIZABETH VAUGHN
JOHN PAUL
ALBERT BROOKS

CLASS REPRESENTATIVES

MARGARET COCHRAN
ADDISON THOMPSON
HELEN FAULL
JACK LUM
AHERA THIEN
RICHARD HIENZ
GRACE FAULKNER
DEXTER WEEDEN

JEAN McCAW
SUMNER GRAHAM
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MARION BIGGS
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MERRIT SANFORD

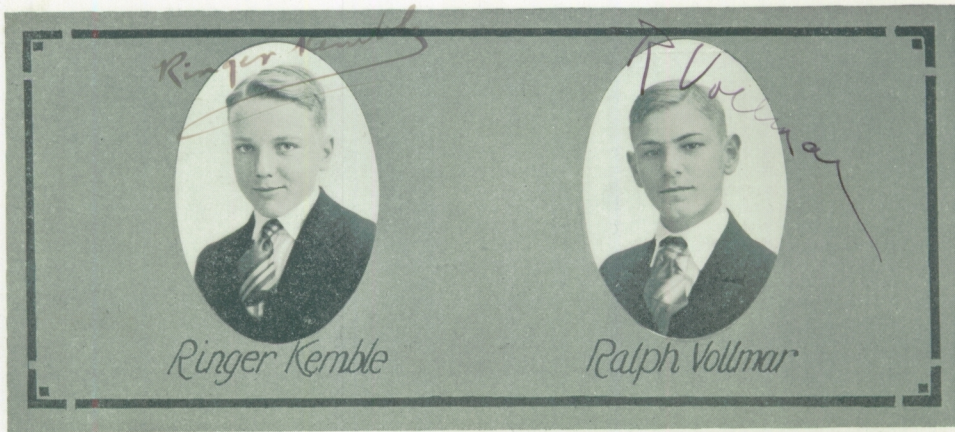
"Mike" Davis



Rooting

I WANT to thank the student body and faculty of the Alameda High School for their splendid support to the school during the fall and spring terms of 1920 and 1921. The rooting sections have been splendid. The spring term of 1921 especially has been the most active and spirited since I entered this school. Much credit is due to Cliff Traphagen who has co-operated with Jack Lum and myself in making this term the peppiest the school has known for some time. Again I want to thank the students and the faculty for their splendid support at the football, crew, track, and baseball games of the last year. Their splendid support has helped give Alameda High a winning baseball, track, and crew teams. The school has been receiving much publicity owing to this fact, and before long the people of Alameda will be compelled to see that a new high school is built to accommodate the hundreds of students that will no doubt enter Alameda High. Here's success to the new officers and to Coach Otto Rittler.

MARK DAVIS '21.



The French Club

OUR French Club, formed a year ago by Miss Garretson, was reorganized this term under the direction of Miss Bailey. The following officers were elected for the term:

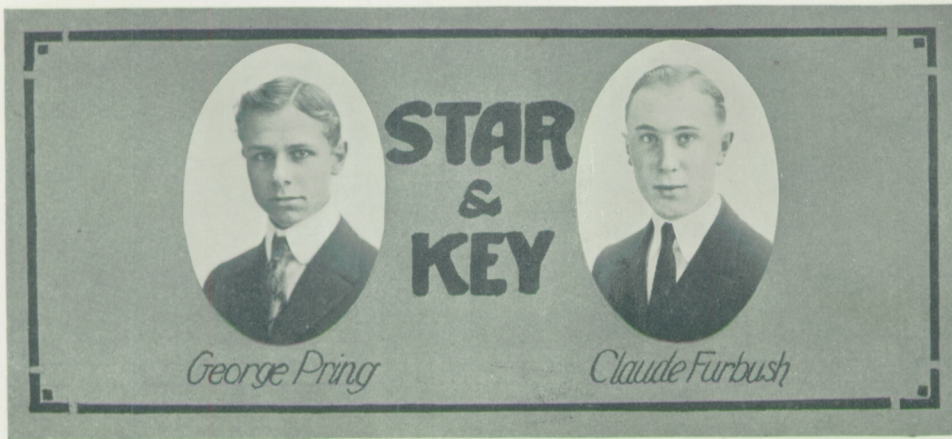
President.....	RINGER KEMBLE
Vice-President.....	DOROTHY BLAKE
Secretary.....	NORMAN ACKLEY
Treasurer.....	JACK MOULTHROP
Editor.....	RALPH VOLLMAR
Advisor.....	MISS BAILEY

Plans for the "French Follies," to be given soon, are in progress. One of the features will be a one-act comedy, presented by the members of the advanced class. Other features will include French songs and dances, and also a dialogue by one of the beginning classes. Ralph Vollmar is in charge and assures all an interesting and enjoyable evening.

The members attend from time to time the French plays given in the Theatre Francais in San Francisco by Andre Ferrier and his company.

The fleur-de-lis is the emblem of the club, and pins are expected to be chosen later.

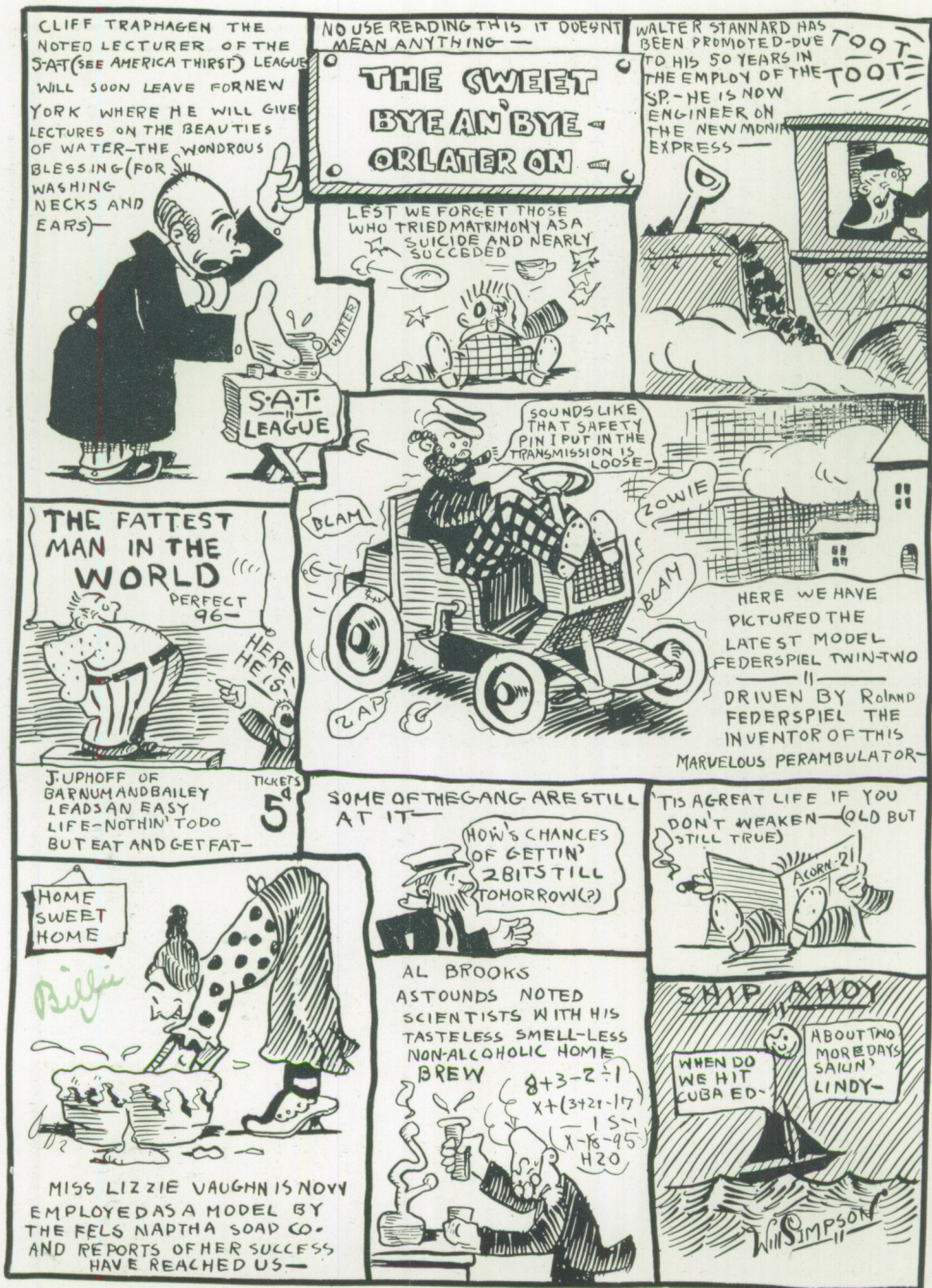
R. V. '21.

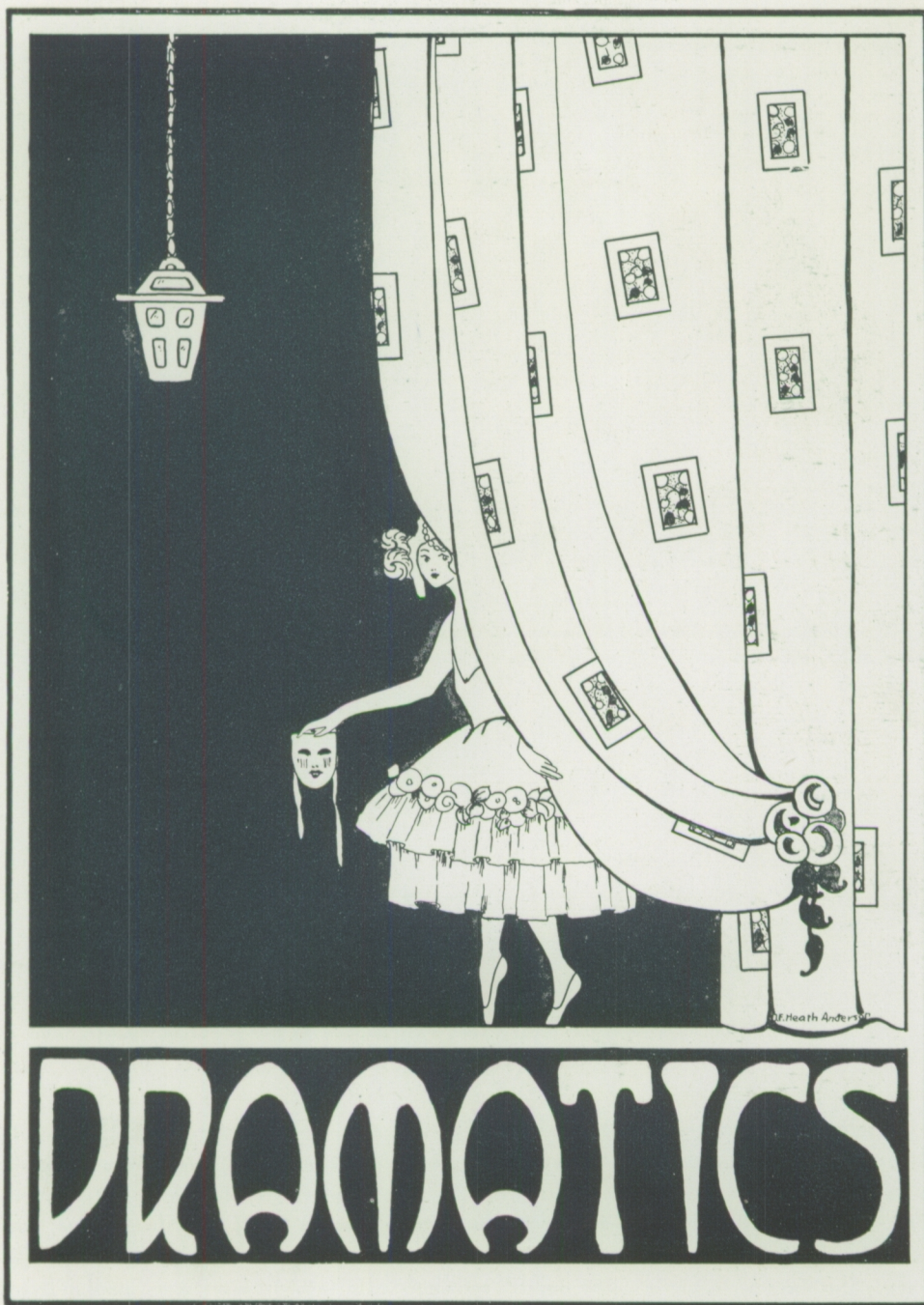


IN the early part of last term the Star and Key had a party at Porter School. A good program was provided including the famous Herman and Ajax magicians. Dancing and refreshments followed. The term ended with a big skating party at Idora Park. The Star and Key presented prizes and gave everyone two free rides on the scenic railway. The day was an enjoyable one, indeed. The Star and Key conducted an Acorn story contest this term. The writer of the best original story, "My Lady's Laugh," received \$5.00 and has his story printed in the Acorn. The next best original story, "A Reminiscence of the Argonne," received no prize but is also printed in the Acorn.

C. G. F. '21.









Cousin Kate

AFTER much deliberation the unsurpassable class of June '21 selected "Cousin Kate" as a play worthy of their ability and presented it on November 19, after two and a half weeks practice.

It was a play with not much action but one which called for a great deal of acting and fine interpretation. The play was a domestic comedy.

With the addition of several parts the name was changed to the "Four of Hearts," and as such brought the greatest receipts of any play given at Alameda High School. Clifford Philips managed the production.

Amy Spencer is a very quiet unassuming sort of girl who is engaged to be married to Heath Desmond, an artist. A few days before the wedding Amy and Heath have a quarrel with the result that Heath leaves town. The Spencer household is thrown into chaos; but Mrs. Spencer, a clinging vine, sends for Cousin Kate, relying on her to help them out of their difficulty as she has done before. The Rev. Bartlett is taken into the confidence of the family, for he was to perform the nuptial ceremony. He secretly loves Amy, and it is his speeches that influence Amy's actions and prompted her quarrel with Heath. Kate arrives and proceeds to patch up the quarrel with Heath, who has come back. She finds, to her dismay, that he is a man whom she met on the train, each having fallen in love with each

other. Things look dark until Amy and Bartlett find they are suited to each other. The curtain goes down on the mutual happiness of Kate and Heath and Amy and Bartlett.

CAST

Kate Curtiss.....	MARILLA BRINTNALL
Heath Desmond.....	FRED WILEY
Amy Spencer.....	HELEN MALTESTA
Rev. Bartlett.....	CLAUDE FURBUSH
Mrs. Spencer.....	ADDIE BEALL
Bobby Spencer.....	EDMUND BUCKLEY
Jane.....	RUTH FORTMANN
Mrs. Darbisher.....	EUGENIA BRAUE
Friends of Amy—	

MARGARET CORCORAN, EVELYN FISHER, GLADYS NELSON, ALBERTA CLARK.

H. M. '21.



Senior Vaudeville

Fall Term

THE vaudeville show given by the High Senior of December, 1920, was a decided success, partly due to the management of Alvin Malm and partly to the skill of the class. An act by Brooks and Coombs in which the audience was shown the "long and short of it"; a skit with De Berna and Spence as husbands to Doris King and Bernice Borchart; a musical act by Eugenia Clinchard, Brooks, and Cohen; a musical interpretation by Albert Onions; a dance by Juliet Wienstock; and a good old-fashioned minstrel show—all made a generous program.

H. M. '21.



Freshman Reception

Fall Term

THE girls of the class of June '21 staged on September 16 one of the best Freshman receptions Alameda High has ever witnessed. The girls were welcomed by Irma Martinoni, and the response from the Freshmen was given by Claire Brown. Dr. Thompson, also, addressed the girls. The program was a novel one and included an Oriental dance number by Juliet Wienstock; a reading by Helen Maltesta, "Spring Fever;" a pantomimic sketch, "A Dumb Debutante;" and an up-to-the-minute story of the "Evolution of the World."

Helen Maltesta was the manager and was assisted by Miss Calloway. The proceeds went toward the school scenery fund.

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Senior Play

THE play produced by the class of '21 was a decided success. The name was "His Excellency the Governor." Colvin Elliot was chosen as manager, with John Uphoff and Garland Bunker as stage managers. Kenneth Biggart managed the sale of tickets. After seven weeks' practice, the play was presented on April 9. Mr. Stratton conducted the High School orchestra throughout the performance.

SYNOPSIS

Sir Montague Martin, the Governor of the Amandaland Island, and Mr. Carew and Baverstock, his aides, live together on the island. All promise that they will never marry. With the advent on the island of Mr. Carlton, the English Minister, his sister, Mrs. Bolingbroke, and his daughter, all men forget their pledge and fall hopelessly in love. They contribute it to the eating of a fruit, the alve, which is said to make anyone who eats of it immediately fall in love. They all fight for the attentions of Miss Carlton. Stella de Gex, an actress cousin of Sir Montague, comes from England, and Mr. Carlton succumbs to her wily ways. Much excitement is caused by the news that the natives have risen against the British rule. Ethel fearing that Carew must fight, declares her love for him. It is discovered that the natives have not risen but are only saluting the arrival of Carlton. At the end of the play Stella and Carlton are happy in each others arms, while Mrs. Bolingbroke rejoices that she still has a chance for the love of Martin. He, with Baverstock, are in the depths of gloom when the play ends with Carew embracing Ethel.

Sir Montague Martin.....	PAUL SANSOM
Ethel Carlton.....	PHYLIS BORCHERT
Capt. Carew.....	CAROLL MELBIN
Stella De Gex.....	BEATRICE ALMOND
John Baverstock.....	LESTER BROWN
Sentry.....	WM. ROGERS
Mrs. Bolingbroke.....	CLAIRE HRUBANIK
Mr. Carlton.....	KENNETH BIGGART
Maid.....	BEATRICE PIERCE
Captain Rivers.....	LEWIS MATHEWSON
Major Kildare.....	CLYDE ZIRBEL

Freshman Reception

Spring Term

THE Freshman reception was given on February 18 by the girls of December '21. The new girls were welcomed to A. H. S. by Burgess Sorenson, and their response was given by Virginia Dunn. Following this Dr. Thompson spoke to the girls.

The headline act was the Fashion Show, in which everything from negligees to riding habits was shown. A recitation, "Biff Perkins' Toboggan Slide," by Florence Helmstein, a Russian ballet by Clair Hrubanik, and a recitation by Helen Hoepner completed the program. The rest of the afternoon was spent in dancing.

The reception was managed by Helen Cathrall and Beatrice Almond. The proceeds were used to buy a punch bowl for the school.

IN THE SHAH'S GARDEN

THROUGH the efforts of Mrs. Hunter of the Music Department with the co-operation of the Woodwork, Art, and English Departments, the production of "In the Garden of the Shah" at Porter Auditorum on Friday, March 13, was a success. The operetta was preceeded by a prologue "In a Persian Garden," with the charming musical setting by Liza Lehman of the well-known quatrains of Omar Khayam.

SYNOPSIS OF OPERETTA

Two American mining engineers, Ted Harding and Billy Cummings, have come to Persia to work on the gold mine of the Shah, Perunah. With them is Sam, a negro, who acts as servant to both men.

While in Persia, Ted sees and falls in love with Zohdah, daughter of the Shah, while Billy is in love with Lahlah, Zohdah's friend. Sam is pursued by Zohdah's nurse, Nowobeh, who thinks they are lovers in some other incarnation.

Zohdah's father has Somecrabe, an Arab Sheik, in mind as his daughter's husband. It is discovered that the Sheik is flying under false colors, and he is ordered away. In the midst of this, he throws Ted and Billy into prison because of their attention to the girls. But Nowobeh, the nurse, convinces ahe Shah that he, himself, is the loser, by doing this. He is only ruining his own plans for operating the mine. He then releases the prisoners and gives his consent to their marriages.

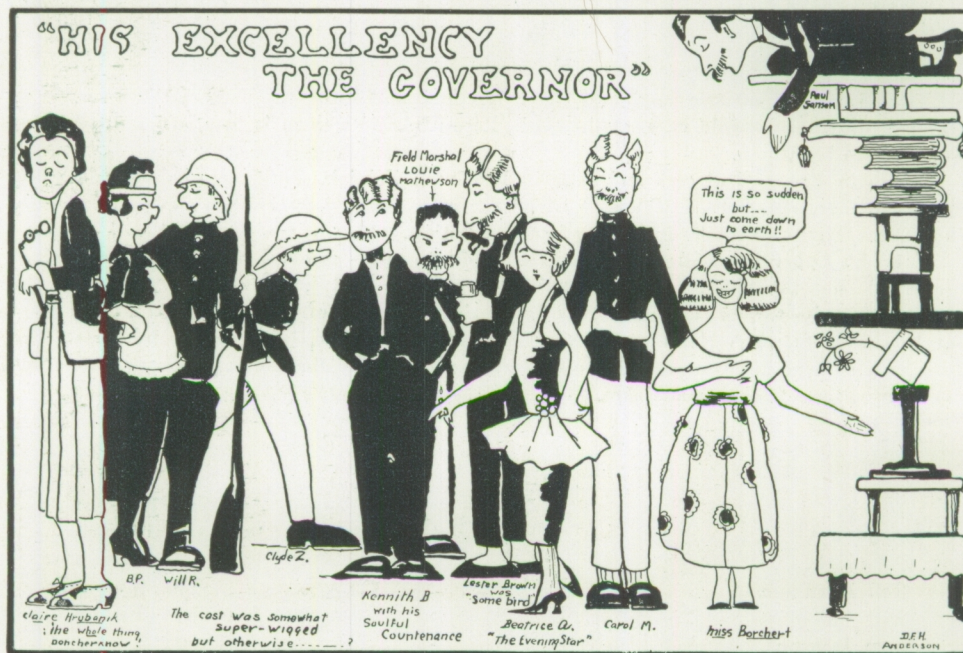
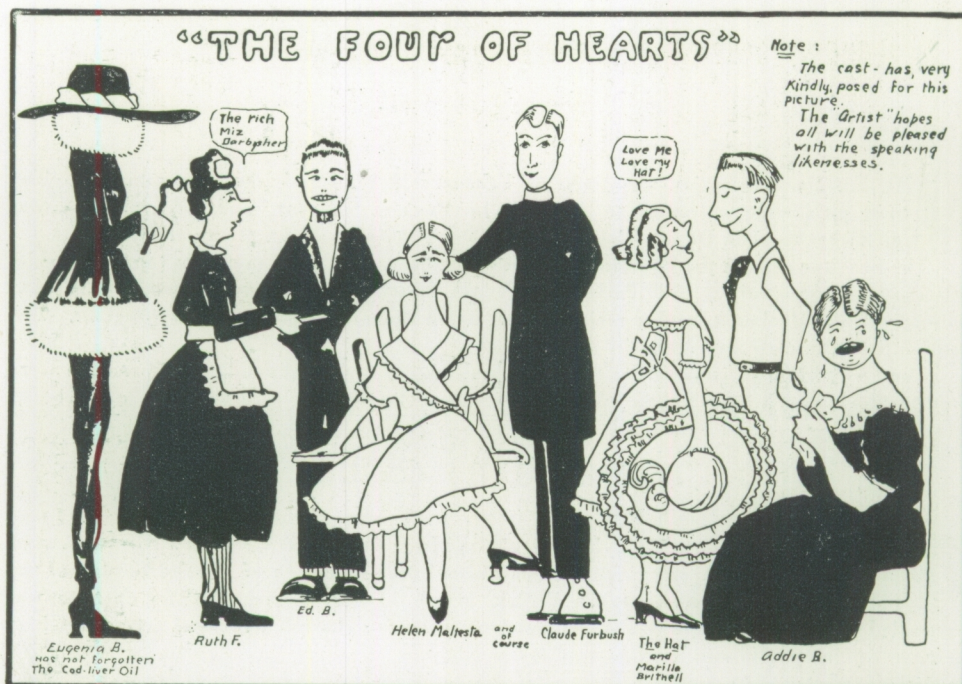
CAST

Lohlah.....	MARGARET RANDALL
Zohdah.....	EUGENIA CLINCHARD
Nowobeh.....	ADDIE BEALL
Ted Harding.....	AL BROOKS
Bill Cummings.....	CLIFFORD PHILLIPS
Sam Jackson.....	ERNEST DUNBAR
Perunah.....	CLAUDE FURBUSH
Somecraba.....	FRANCIS HRUBANIK

Chorus of girls, soldiers and attendants.

H. M. '21.

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The High School Orchestra

IN a recent competition at Berkeley, the orchestra of A. H. S. ranked third among the other high school orchestras. The orchestra is an organization that supports and takes part in school activities. It furnishes music for the Senior play and Senior vaudeville, and for several minor school events. It has also been asked to furnish programs for entertainments outside of school life.

A great deal of credit is due to the director, Mr. Stratton, who has always done his utmost to make our musical entertainments and programs beautiful and successful.

At present the orchestra is by no means complete. It lacks several important instruments. In the near future the orchestra should own its instruments and thereby increase its membership.

The following are the present members of the A. H. S. orchestra:

First Violin—L. Zimmerman, M. Johnson, F. Hooper, H. Moore, H. Jordan, R. Evans,

M. King, L. Rutman.

Second Violin—F. Cummings, D. Hay, E. Kroger, C. Mitchell, B. Mansfield.

Oboe—E. Mundt.

Clarinet—C. Anderson.

Cornet—M. Spreckles, F. Avern.

Trombone—D. Provines.

Saxophone—M. Provines, E. Tuft.

Drums—M. Sanford, R. Hiles.

Piano—A. Meacham, D. King.

Ruth Allen



Glee Club

THE Girls' Glee Club under the direction of Mrs. Hunter is one of the most active organizations in the Alameda High School. The program of last term was carried out successfully, and that of this term is proving equally interesting.

FALL

The Glee Club sang at the Teachers' Institute held at Technical High, Oakland, and again at the Oakland Auditorium. On both occasions they were favorably received and obliged to give encores. On Sunday afternoon, October 31, at the request of the Director of the Greek Theatre, the Glee Club in conjunction with the A. H. S. Orchestra gave the Half-Hour of Music to a large and pleased audience.

Christmas morn the Glee Club spread the spirit of cheer and good will by singing Christmas Carols. They were accommodated by Mr. Sellier and his truck, and afterwards enjoyed breakfast at the home of Captain and Mrs. Peterson. Christmas caroling will probably be part of the regular program of the Glee Club hereafter. On the Monday following Christmas, the club set forth in machines from Hotel Oakland to visit the Arroyo Grande Sanitarium at Livermore, where they sang Christmas melodies for the patients. On January 27, they assisted in the graduation exercises.

SPRING

February and March were busy months. During this time the club sang at the Art Exhibit held at Washington School, at the High School when the Curry movies were shown, and at the dedication of the City Hall clock. A sextette has taken part in recent events at the Y. W. C. A., Greek Theatre, and meetings of the Girls' Association. On May 13th, an operetta, "In the Garden of the Shah," was presented in the Porter School Auditorium and won hearty applause from the audience.

Each year the membership has increased until now there are about forty members. The school is proud of the reputation the Glee Club has earned for themselves and for the A. H. S.

M. S. '22.



NO SPEAK DA ENGLISH



FOUR OF A KIND



HOT DAWG



BIG DOGS



JACK IN ACTION



GUESS WHO THIS
IS?



STEP RIOT



WHO IS IT
FROM-AL?



SPORTS



NEVER before in the history of baseball in this school was the sport welcomed with as much "pep" and enthusiasm as was the national pastime this year. The success of last year's team brought out over one hundred candidates, which resulted in Alameda's High going a full season with four teams that fought hard to the finish.

Too much praise cannot be given to Coach Otto Rittler for his excellent advice and the manner in which he whipped the team into shape. From the time he took the squad into hand, he kept practicing every night in order that he might put out a winning team for the High School.

The team was organized with five veterans from the season before under the leadership of Captain "Hookem" Smith. "Boot" Paul was made manager and "Hootmon" MacKenzie was made field captain of the team.

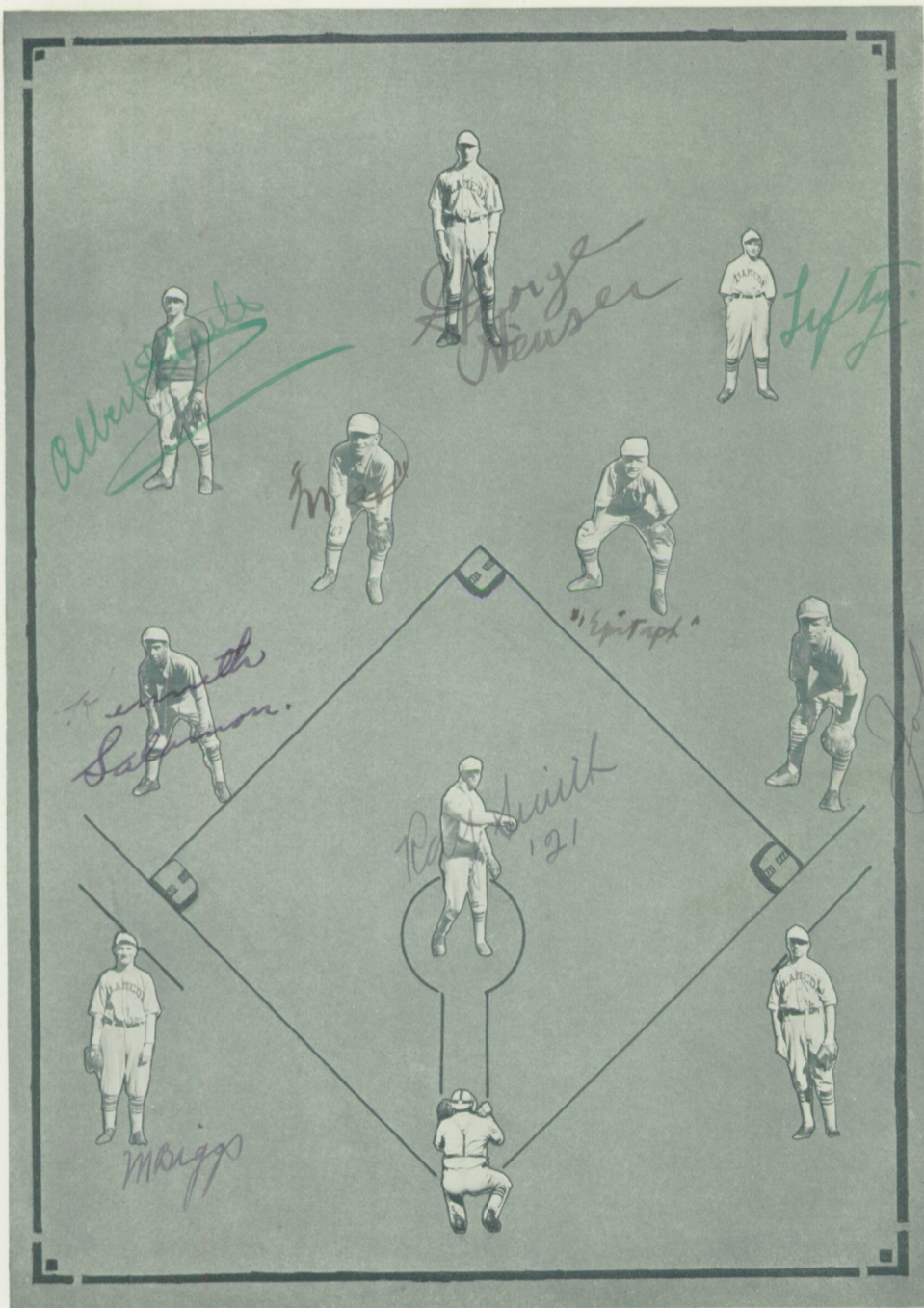
Inter-advisory games started the ball rolling and the superior forces of Mr. Daniels' advisory carried off the hard-fought-for honors.

The A. H. S. team had little trouble in defeating the schools of Oakland. The Deaf and Dumb students were the first victims and lost by a score of 13-0, the rest following suit as follows: Fremont 1, Alameda 5; Oakland Technical 0, Alameda 2; University High 2, Alameda 11; Vocational 1, Alameda 6; St. Mary's High 1, Alameda 3; Heald's Business College 0, Alameda 9; California Concordia College 4, Alameda 5.

San Francisco High Schools met a similar fate: Lowell 0, Alameda 2; Polytechnic 1, Alameda 2; Mission 0, Alameda 6; Commerce 1, Alameda 7; Mission 0, Alameda 9.

Modesto High fell prey to Alameda in an eleven inning game, losing by a score of 5-2.

The Polytechnic Business College played Alameda into the night, the game being called at the end of the eleventh inning on account of the darkness and the score remaining 2 to 2.



Oakland High after playing Alameda High for one hour and ten minutes left the field with the score 0 to 0. Seven innings constitutes a game for Oakland High.

The University of California Freshmen managed to nose Alameda out of a hard-fought-for game by the score of 2 to 1.

The A. C. A. L. opened on April 29th with Berkeley playing Alameda at Lincoln Park. Berkeley held a one run lead until the sixth inning when Alameda put over ten runs. The final score was eleven to one in our favor.

Hayward High met a similar fate when the "wrecking crew" of Alameda turned loose and batted over ten runs. The final score was 10 to 2.

The Alameda High School team is now eligible to compete in the semi-finals of the C. I. F. for a state championship. Watch them go.

The team which represents Alameda is as follows:

"Hookem" Smith is a pitcher that has most everything and what he hasn't got he doesn't need. This is his second year on the team.

"Queener" Hegerle is a catcher with a "peg" and talk that keeps the players constantly on edge. He entered from Minnesota.

"Boot" Paul is a first baseman that tries hard and hits well. This is his second year on the team.

"Epitaph" Kemble plays second and is always in the game trying. He is a good fielder and a sure lead off man.

"Money Back" Saloman plays third base with rare form and rivals "Babe" Ruth when he connects. This is his second year on the team.

"Hootmon" Mackenzie, the "Smiling Scotchman," covers plenty of ground at short and takes a chance at anything. He is a dangerous man on the bags. This is his second year with the team.

"Lucky Strike" Steele is a hard working all-around player. He plays left field and takes his turn pitching. He is playing for the third year with the team.

"Perfect Lover" Heuser came from San Diego to play centerfield. He catches anything in his territory and has a bad habit of breaking up ball games with the willow.

"Bashful" Biggs holds down the right field position. He is another that gets anything in his territory.

Belvel, Hopping and Shultz are three good players who act as substitutes. They should have little trouble in making the team next year.



THROUGH the influence of Mr. Mehan and of Coach Ben Wallis of the University of California, Alameda was given the privilege of having a crew and of using the materials of the University of California.

The first turnout was held at the Harmon Gymnasium. Here the boys worked on the rowing machines. Those were the strenuous days. This is the way the program went: (1) ride out to Berkeley on the street cars, (2) go to the gymnasium to don the old rowing suits, (3) get on the machines for a nice little work of about an hour, (4) four times around the oval (which means a mile), (5) back again to the gymnasium for twenty minutes of setting up exercises, (6) showers, (7) jump into clothes and do an obstacle race for the car, (The obstacles being co-eds, some obstacles!), (8) sink back in the car, and (9) remember only an hour and ten minutes before dinner. It was a great life, mates.

These first weeks of practice were held in the early part of December; but after the examinations at California started, rowing ceased till late in January. When the crew reassembled they found they had a new coach, "Heine" de Roullet. After a few turnouts the boys began to like and worship "Heine."

"Heine" was a varsity man and had all the dope on rowing. He knew every phase of the game and certainly got it over to the boys. He gave his time and effort to make the crew a success and he certainly made a successful crew.

The first race was with the second Freshman crew of California. The boys worked hard for this race and lost by a small margin. Just a few weeks before the race the crew was handicapped by the loss of Stroke Elfers. This important position was filled by Davis, who served as stroke the rest of the year.

The second and last race of the season was again against the Second Freshmen. In this race the chief object was revenge. The boys wanted to beat the Freshmen and they were certainly full of the old fight. Everybody worked hard for over a month, training for the last race. Several changes were made in the line-up; new men were put in but this tended to increase spirit rather than decrease it.

The crew went into that race out-weighted fifteen pounds to the man. The opposing crew had received training from one of the best coaches in the country, but we went into the race with a determination that nearly won the race for us. We lost the race but we gave the Freshmen a race they will never forget.

G. M. Higgins



SOPHS vs. FROSH.



SOPHS + FROSH vs UPHOFF
(QUESTION) - WHICH IS UPHOFF?



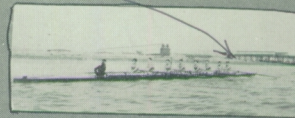
GIRLS SENIOR DAY.



HIENE!



CREW HUSKIES?



A TUB FULL OF HARD
WORKING LADS.



AIN'T WE COY!



CHILDREN MUST PLAY
(SENIOR HOT DOG SALE)



THE football season of 1920 was not a very brilliant one, but the team deserves an unlimited amount of credit for their faithful and conscientious work as pioneers in American football in the Alameda High School. This season was practically the first time in many years that the American game has been played. An American team was organized at the end of the previous season but few games were played and only a few men of the 1920 team were members of it.

In answer to Coach Otto Rittler's summons a large crowd of recruits turned out. Special mention must be given the smaller boys, mostly freshmen, who turned out every night, working as hard as the "big fellows," and supporting the team at all times. This is typical Alameda High School spirit; and these fellows will furnish the material for future victorious teams.

In a short time a first team squad was organized, and with "Swede" Pennock as captain, began to get in shape for the coming season. It was a difficult task that confronted Otto Rittler, that of making over raw material and rugby veterans into American stars, but he worked hard to produce a winning team, and the boys co-operated to their fullest extent. This team was notable for the fact that all the men pulled together and there was no dissension in the ranks.

Under the efficient management of "Johnny" Uphoff a very fine schedule of practice games was arranged. The schedule included games with Alumni, St. Mary's, St. Ignatius; Richmond and Haywards. The team fought every inch of the way in all these games and won a good percentage of them, considering the fact that the men were beginners at the American game, there being no large scores against them. Captain Pennock called signals in all these games and his line bucks netted many yards for Alameda. In a practice game with Bates, "Cliff" Traphagen sustained a very bad sprained ankle which laid him up for most of the season. This loss was a detriment to the team as Traphagen had been playing exceptional football at quarterback. "Kenney" Spear made many sensational end runs for Alameda, and the long well-placed kicks of "Red" Spence pulled us out of many a hole.

The first league game with University High was perhaps the best game of the season. A large crowd of rooters were at Lincoln Park to watch the game and the team was full of pep and anxious to meet their adversaries.

Right from the start, things went bad for Alameda. The referee did not come till nearly an hour late, and the team was forced to stand around and wait. At last he appeared and the game started. University kicked off. After a few plays Alameda got the ball on their own five yard line. Then the hoodoo that had been hovering around all afternoon descended. Due to a mistake or misinterpretation of the signals Pennock and Eberly bumped into each other and the ball went over the goal line; before it could be recovered, a University man fell on it. They converted. This seemed to wake Alameda up and no further scores were made that half.

In the second half Spear went over the line for Alameda on a trick play and Spence converted. The score stood 7 to 7, but the jink was not lifted. University intercepted a forward pass and raced for a touchdown. Shortly after the game ended.

Experts who saw the game were of the opinion that Alameda played a better brand of football than their opponents, but luck broke against them.

The "big" game of the season came when we met our old rival, Berkeley, at California Field. In anticipation of this event a great number of pennants and rooter's caps had been sold at the high school, and a large portion of the student body was on hand to support the team. Alameda had the west bleachers, while Berkeley sat directly opposite. Both rooting sections vied with each other in yelling. The red caps of Berkeley and the yellow caps and pennants of Alameda added life and color to the game. A great amount of enthusiasm was apparent on both sides.

Although Berkeley won the game, 69 to 0, the score by no means tells the story, and the college city team had to fight hard for every one of the ten tries. Taking into account the fact that Berkeley had been playing the American game for several years, Alameda made a very satisfactory showing against their more experienced rivals, and it was especially noticable that the men fought hard up to the last gun, even after a large score had been piled up against them.

Alameda wound up the season by taking an easy victory at Haywards. "Snick" Dunbar was elected captain of this years team and the team of 1921 disbanded.

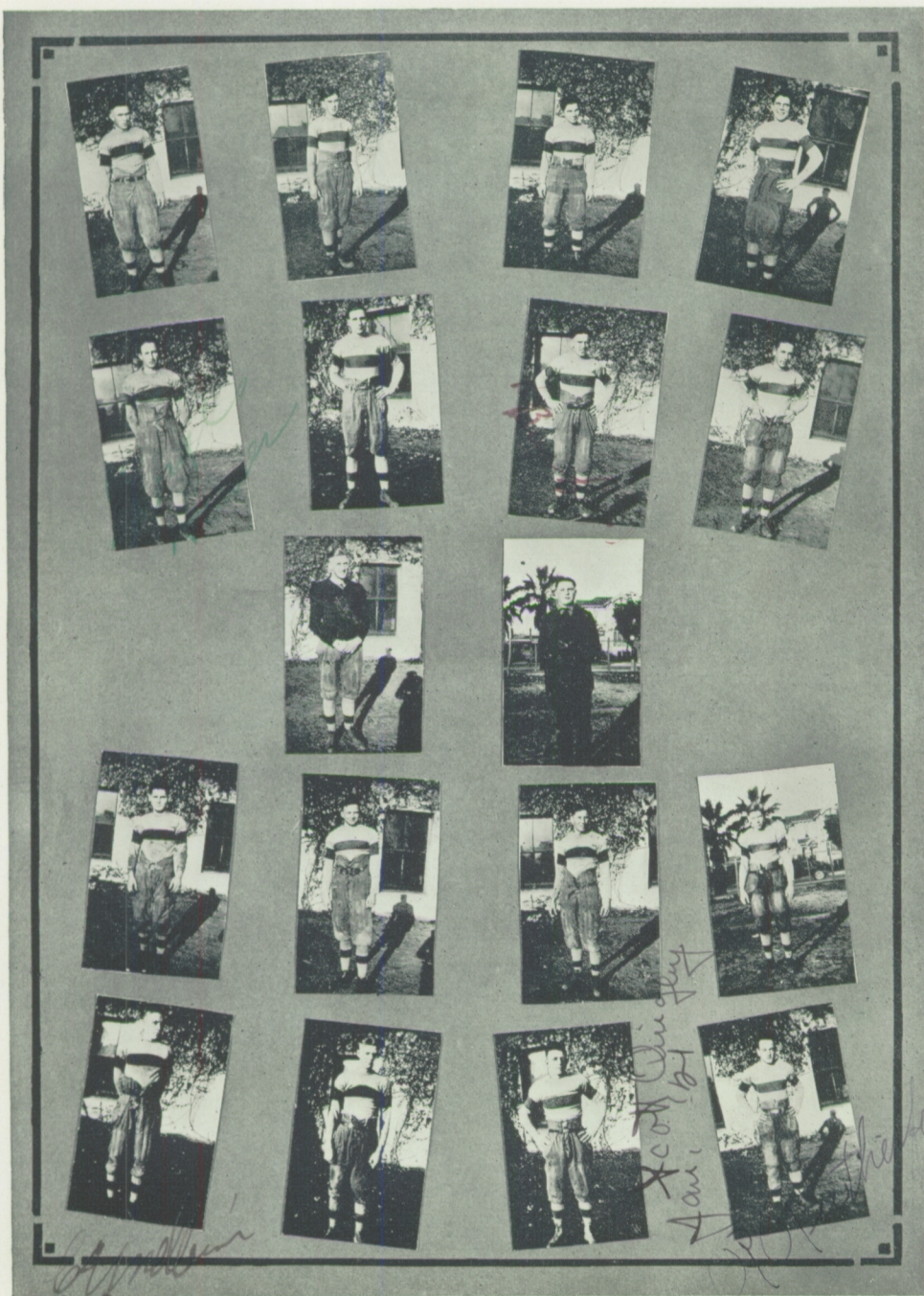
Prospects look bright for the '21 team. There seems to be a good supply of material in the school and there will be several veterans left over who thoroughly understand the game. In the line there will probably be Dunbar, Bunker, and Melbin; while Spear, Elliot and Lum will represent the backfield.

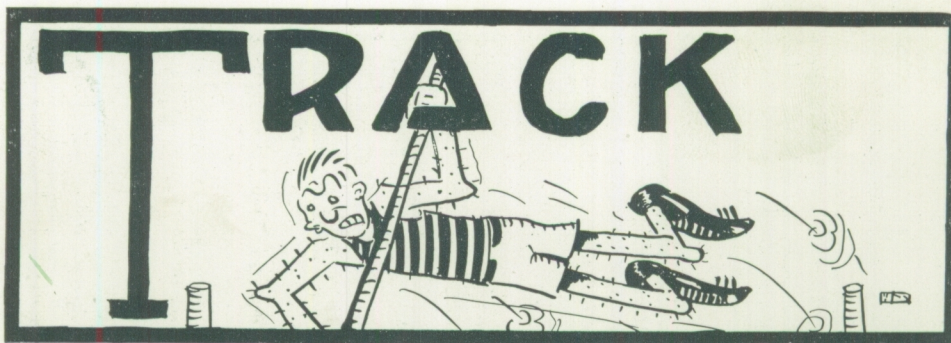
With this number of "vets" and with a year's experience Alameda should produce a winning team, and those who saw the last team in action are confident that they can do it.

The 1920 team lined up as follows: Line, Rutherford, Eberly, Fischer, Spence, Dunbar, Melbin, Buckley, Hueser, Bunker, Malm and Srotem.

Backfield—Traphagen, Pennock, Hopping, Elliot, Spear, Halton, Lum, and Quigley.

E. D. B. '21.





TRACK this year had the best season at Alameda for many years past. The season was started off by an inter-class meet which was won by Mr. Agard's advisory. Interest was created by this meet and many new fans were seen on the track. One of the best schedules Alameda has ever seen in track was arranged by Manager Thompson, and the team, captained by "Flash" Hamm, have worked hard to put over wins.

The first meet of the season was with Fremont High School. We defeated them by the one-sided score of 85 to 27. The team showed in this meet what they could do by taking all first places. Captain Hamm showed to good advantage by winning the 100, the 220, and the discus throw. Heuser in the high and low hurdles, showed his heels to the Fremont boys.

The meet with Vallejo followed in which we were beaten, 66 to 56. Our defeat in this meet was not due to the team taking part but was due to a few of the men on the team not showing their proper spirit and failing to put in an appearance. The team was up against a strong aggregation in Vallejo and showed up well. This meet showed that Alameda has a well balanced team. Hamm cleaned up in the 100 and 220 while Heuser took the low hurdles and second in the high. Thompson took second in the broad jump and third in the quarter.

BERKELEY 85, A. C. A. L., ALAMEDA 64

On April 2, we met Berkeley in the A. C. A. L. meet. Although we were beaten the team worked hard and did their best. Hamm collected 15 points in the 100, 220, and discus. Heuser collected 13 points in the high and low hurdles and high jump. Lacke took first in the shot and second in the discus. "Billy" Moran, our midget pole vaulter, managed to clink the pole high enough to beat Berkeley in the pole vault event.

C. I. F. ALAMEDA 31

In the C. I. F. Alameda took 31 points and fourth place in the meet. This number of points is more than has been made by Alameda in the last ten years and shows that a new era of track is coming to Alameda. Last year Alameda took fourteen points while this year we doubled it.

Captain "Flash" Hamm again showed his heels to the field in the 100 and 220, negotiating the 100 in 10:1 second and the 220 in 22:4 seconds.

Heuser took second in the low and high hurdles and third in the high jump.

Brooks took third in the eight-pound shot, breaking the state record by putting it 45 feet 2 inches.

Lacke took third in the discus, while Melbin took third in the broad jump.

The relay, composed of Hamm, Steele, Lacke, and Heuser, managed to take second place out of a field of fifteen schools.



W. May Jr



A. Thompson



"Hop"

"Coat"



W. Brooks



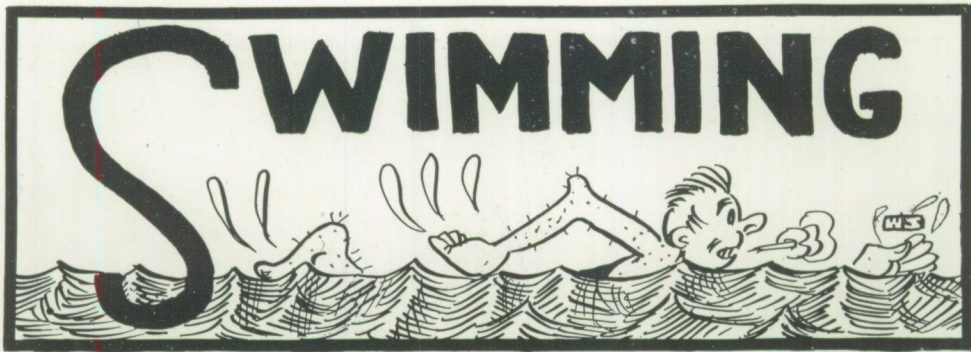
W. Miller



"Hop"



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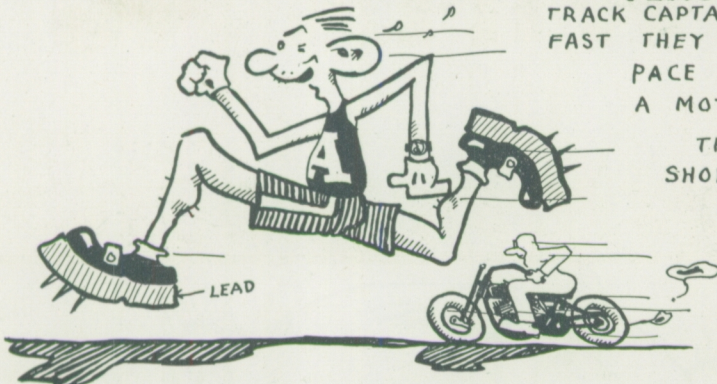
IN previous years swimming has not created much interest. However, interest is gaining, so that in a few years swimming should rank as a foremost branch of athletics. Neptune Beach has each year let A. H. S. use the baths as a training place.

This year the team should show very well as there are a number of veterans on the team. In an interadvisory meet held at the beginning of the season, several young hopefuls came to light. Among the new men in school is Robert Pyzle, who has a very good stroke and who probably will give his contestants a hard race.

The team this year is handicapped because Manager Elfers is not able to swim. Del took a first place in the California meet last year, so we are going to miss him this year.



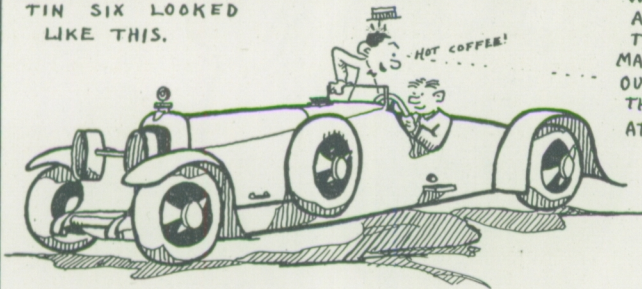
HE USES HIS EARS FOR RUDDERS.



"FLASH" HAMM
TRACK CAPTAIN- HE'S SO
FAST THEY HAVE TO
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SHOES KEEP HIM
FROM FLYING.

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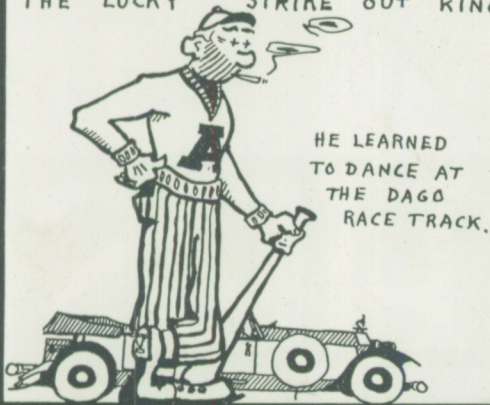


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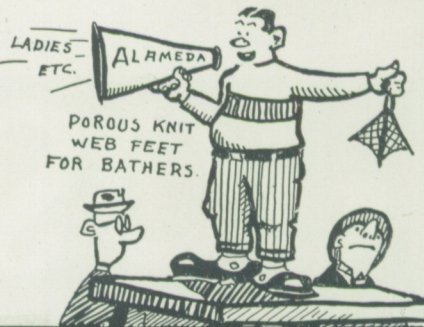
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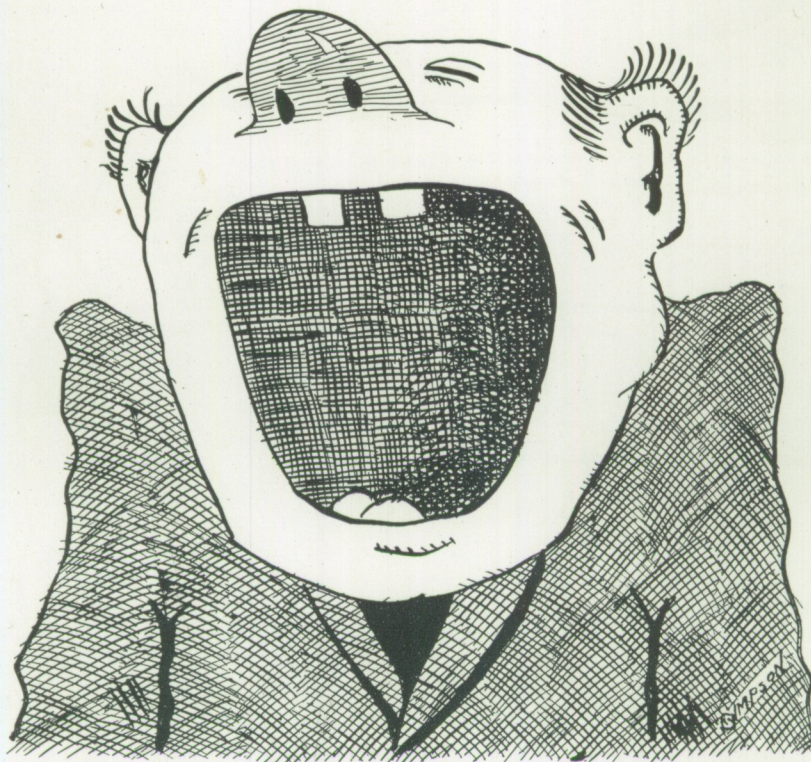


"KID" STEELE
THE LUCKY STRIKE OUT KING



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JOSHIES

Grandmother: When your grandfather was courting me, he always kissed me on the brow.
Lil Carter: Well, if a man kissed me on the brow, I'd call him down a bit.

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Bud C.: Virginia, will you go to the dance with me?

V. Silverstone: I'm sorry, I can't Bud; but I'll introduce you to a pretty, clever, peach of a dancer whom you can take.

Bud C.: I don't want to take a pretty, clever, good dancer. I want to take you.

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NOTICE

To remove the squeak from shoes, take the tongue out.

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C. Traphagen: Bill, did you know a disease strikes a person in his weakest place?

Bill Brooks: Is that why you have a cold in your head?

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Dot Donaldson: Why can't a bicycle stand up?

Louise Simpson: Because it's two tired

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Betty Allen: What would you do if a robber drew a pistol on you?

Gene McCaw: I'd wash it off

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E. Van Pelt: Do you think I ought to go East for my lungs?

C. Eberly: In what part of the East are they?

C. Eberly

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Freshie: I can't get into my locker

Pax Davis: That's funny. You must have grown a lot over night.

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UNCONSCIOUS GILHAM

Barber: How would you like your hair cut?

E. Gilham: With a hole in the middle, like Uncle's

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FULL OF METER

There are meters of water,
There are meters of light,
But the best of all meters
Is to meet her to-night.

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Mr. Agard: Give me a long sentence.

Albert Steel: Imprisonment for life.

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Phillys Collischon: The man I marry must be a grand man,—upright and square.

Alberta Clark: You want a piano, not a man.

ANYTHING GOES

Miss Morgan: Johnny, why are you so late to school today?

J. Uphoff: Well, you see, my clock is bigger than yours; and it takes longer for the hands to go round.

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E. Clinchard: I notice the boys don't dance as enthusiastically as they used to.

P. Cohen: No, they miss the old punch.

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T. Halton: Freshman year I had money to burn. I burned it.

Goodyear: How so?

T. H.: On an old flame of mine.

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Steve: The bottom fell out of the stock market today.

Olive: Horrors! Was anybody hurt?

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Lundy: Every time those two fellows go out, they have a circus.

C. Chamberlain: Which two?

Lundy: Barnum & Bailey

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OUT FOR AN EVENING STROLI

Bess: Oh, I am so thirsty.

Roland: Take a look at the big dipper.

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SYMPATHY

I. Martinoni: (looking at her pictures): These pictures are simply a fright

Federspiel: (Sympathizing): Why, no, they look just like you.

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Al Brooks: Why is a well ordered school-room like a Ford?

E. Buckley: I dunno, why?

Al Brooks: Because the crank is in front of a lot of little nuts in their right place

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A. Gardiner: Jack, my mind is made up.

Jack Lum: Heavens, is that artificial, too?

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Harry Akeson: Pop, what is the Latin word for people?

Father: I don't know, son.

Harry: Populi.

Father: What? I'll teach you to tell me I lie.

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T. Halton: I haven't slept for days

S. Dunbar: Why, are you sick?

T. Halton: No, I sleep nights

SOCIAL HINT

The best way to find your girl out is to call when she isn't in.

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WAS SHE

K. Biggart: May I cross the street with you?

B. Almond: Why, yes, if you are afraid to cross alone.

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YOU TELL US

Mike: What's funnier than a one-armed man trying to wind a wrist watch?

Ike: A glass eye at a key-hole.

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PAGE CUPID

Claire Hrubanick: You have such wonderful lips! They would look good on a girl.

P. Sansome: Well, I never missed an occasion.

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Miss Lewis: Name the bones in your skull.

E. Vaughn: I have them in my head, but I can't think of them.

Hot Dog

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Miss Hewitt: You didn't put your father's occupation on this card.

Scared Scrub: But I can't.

M. H.: You must.

S. S. (sobbing): He's the bearded lady in the circus.

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H. Cathrall: Isn't nature wonderful!

E. Williams: Explain.

H. C.: She gives us our faces, but we can pick our teeth.

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Miss C.: In what condition was Washington at the end of his life?

N. Hopping: Dead.

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Miss Lewis: Come now. Can you tell me anything about the joint?

C. Hegerley: Sorry, ma'm; I've only been in this town a few days.

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Miss Lewis: What is a caterpillar?

M. Davis: An upholstered worm.

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A famous painter here met his death

Because he couldn't draw his breath.

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Fat Applebaum wants to know if the flies in a dairy are butterflies?

Madam: What time did you get home last night?
Armand: Quarter of twelve
Madam: But I was up until three waiting for you
Armand: Well, isn't three a quarter of twelve?

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C. Hegerly: Why do we speak of a city as she?
R. Smith: Because it has outskirts

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A. Burrell: Colvin, has an octopus eight arms?
C. Elliot: Yes.
A. Burrell: Wouldn't it be nice if you were an octopus?

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HEARD AT STEVE'S

Cohn: My cocoa is cold.
Brooks: Put on your hat.

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HE DID

Clyde and Audrey arrived after the third inning
C. (to Fan): What's the score?
Fan: Nothing to nothing.
A. M.: Oh Clyde, we haven't missed a thing

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HOW COULD HE!

D. Elfers: That's Albert Steele—He is going to be our best man soon
Maggie M.: Oh, Del, this is so sudden.

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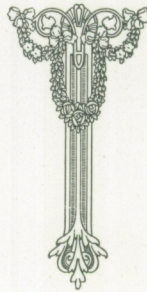
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